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The DeLand-Daytona road while somewhat uneven is all well surfaced, and affords easy traveling The roads down through Volusia county alternate with shell, pine straw and and some saw dust, making travel a matter of real comfort and pleasure. There is a good ferry service across the head of the St. Johns river at the lower end of Lake Monroe, close to the Atlantic Coast line bridge. Once across the river in the new Seminole county, there are two miles of sandy road, which will soon be bricked from the ferry landing at Monroe right into Sanford. The distance from St. Augustine to Sanford by the John Anderson highway is, as stated, approximately 98 miles

The St. Augustine visitors left Sanford at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, traveling on back to DeLand, but instead of going over the Daytona road, what is known as the inland route is followed, through DeLeon Springs, Barberville, Pierson, Seville, Crescent City, Pomona, Satsuma, San Maeto, East Palatka and Hastings This route is far prettier than is the East Coast route, because the roads wind in and out through thousands of acres of orange groves that are in splendid condition and heavily laden with the green fruit of the new crop. An interesting sight is the enormous acreage put out by the United States government in champhor trees at Satsuma Heights. For more than three miles the highway winds through these camphor plantations; as far as the eye can see, on every side, up hill and down dale, extend field after field of young camphor trees To an utter stranger this inland route offers many difficulties, because the road is not posted, and the traveler has to very often take a chance on following the right direction. Then there are stretches of very heavy sand, especially at the upper end of Volusia county, and the lower end of Putnam county, but the information was given by road gangs at work that these uncompleted sections will be paved with shell this year.

The distance from Sanford to St. Augustine over this route is exactly 108 miles, or approximately seven miles longer than by Daytona. Another reason the return trip consumed considerable more time than the trip down was that while the roads are as a rule in very good condition, they are not straight, and it is impossible to make rapid headway.—St. Augustine Record.

EXPENSES OF CITY PLACED AT $6,500 FOR COMING YEAR

NEW CITY COUNCIL TAKES UP WORK LEFT OVER BY RETIRING BODY AND FIXES ESTIMATE ON MONEY NEEDED.

Fixing the actual expenses for running the city of New Smyrna for the next year at $6,560, the new city council at its meeting this week adopted a budget for the year, taking this action by necessity because the matter was carried over to the new council by neglect of the old body, which retired just after the annual election last week.

It is customary for the retiring city council to prepare a budget for the incoming council, but this matter was not attended to by the aldermen who retired from office this month, it being decided to leave the subject for disposal after the new aldermen had taken seats

The budget providing for the running expenses of the city for the coming year as adopted is as follows:

Streets	$2,670
Lights	1,500
Miscellaneous	1,100
Salaries	890
Sanitation	300
Special police	100
Total	$6,560

In addition to this a resolution was adopted providing for a special levy of five mills for waterworks and fire protection, which will give the city approximately $2,200, and the council estimates it will be able to reduce the present indebtedness of the city about $2,000 by the end of the year.

The resolution providing for a special levy for waterworks and fire protection reads as follows

"Be it resolved by the city council of the city of New Smyrna that a special tax of five mills for waterworks and fire protection be levied and collected on all property within the coporate limits of the said city, following in said levy the state valuation of the property within said corporation.

"Be it further resolved, that said levy be made by the city tax assessor when the city tax list shall be made up between the months of July and September, 1913, for taxes on all property within corporate limits for the year 1913."

COLLISION OF AUTOMOBILES ENLIVENS FOURTH AFTERNOON

TWO CARS COME TOGETHER AT CORNER OF CANAL AND ORANGE STREETS AND BOTH ARE DAMAGED.

A collision between two automobiles at the corner of Canal and Orange streets furnished about the only excitement of the Fourth of July in New Smyrna, the day being observed generally as a holiday and the celebration consisting mostly of family picnics, outings and gatherings.

The automobile collision furnished a little excitement for a time, but, fortunately, nobody was injured. Both cars were somewhat damaged

One car, a Cole, driven by Sidney Davis, was on Orange street coming toward Canal, and collided with the dairy auto driven by Walter Davis, which was coming east on Canal and turned onto Orange street The car driven by Sidney Davis received the most damage, the front axle being broken and the mud guards badly jammed. The dairy auto received a broken spring and lamp.

It is stated by witnesses that the car driven by Sidney Davis was on the wrong side of the road and that the collision occurred because of this fact.

Mrs. W. M. Thompson returned home Saturday with her two daughters, Helen and Louise, who have been attending school at St. Joseph's Academy in Sumpter, S. C. Mrs. Thompson attended the commencement exercises there.

BOUCHELLE MADE CHAIRMAN OF THE NEW CITY COUNCIL

ORGANIZATION IS PERFECTED BY THE APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEES AT MEETING THIS WEEK.

The New City Council—

Chairman—L. B Bouchelle.

Ordinance committee—E. L. Greer, J. L. Ditson, C. A Grimsley.

Finance committee—C A Grimsley, J Kroon, E. L. Greer

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The new city council has been organized for the year, Dr. L. B. Bouchelle having bbeen chosen chairman at the special meeting held last week, and the first regular meeting of that organization was held Tuesday night of this week, at which time the appointment of standing committees was announced by the chairman.

The new council will be guided by rules almost similar to the ones used by the old body and the regular meeting night will be the first Tuesday after the first Monday in each month, the same as the old body.

New Streets Asked—

A petition was presented to the council this week asking that new streets be opened in the Sams subdivision, west of the railroad track. These new streets are really continuations of Anderson and Citron streets The matter was referred to the new street committee

New City Jail Needed—

On request of Marshal T. J Brooks the matter of a new city jail was brought to the attention of the aldermen, and it is probable that some action will soon be taken to rebuild the jail or at least remove it from its proximity to the railroad tracks. As it is located at present the building is a wooden structure enclosing a steel cage and its location near the railroad tracks places it in constant danger of being set on fire. With the steel cage inside it would be impossible for a prisoner to get out in case of fire.

City Map Ordered—

Aldermen Ditson and Kroon were appointed a special committee by Chairman Bouchelle with power to act in having a reliable city map drawn and prepared for guidance in laying sidewalks and locating property lines. This is something which has been needed in New Smyrna for a long time.

To Compile Ordinances—

Because the city charter and ordinances of the city of New Smyrna are in bad condition the city council decided it is necessary to have these rearranged, simplified and put into book form, and the finance committee was instructed to invest gate the cost of this work and report back to the council.

OLD ANCHOR IS PULLED UP BY SUCTION DREDGE.

What boat dropped the big anchor picked up by the suction dredge Gene Hester the other day, and how long has it been lying buried in the mud on the bottom of the river?

These are questions which have been frequently asked since the dredge pulled up the big anchor a few days ago and it was brought up town to be displayed as a curiosity, but no definite answer to the questions can be given.

The anchor was found by the dredge about four feet under the mud and lying on the rock bottom of the river. Capt William Lourcey, who probably knows the North Indian river as well as any man in this vicinity, declares positively the bottom of the river at this point has not changed during the past 45 years, and there is no question but that the anchor must have been left there long before that time.

The anchor is of a different style from the ones made in these days and is rusted and corroded from its long stay in the water. It is altogether probable the anchor was dropped from the Seagull, Helen Turnbull's boat, or some other boat used by the early settlers in this section.

Many Attend U. D. C. Ball—

The Independance day ball given last Friday evening in Dohn's hall under the auspices of the U. D. C. proved a complete success. The attendance was very large.

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The Moody boulevard, extending from Bunnell down to the Knox and Beade orange grove is encountered 31 miles south of the city, and while the boulevard is very rough in places, it is not by any means impassable Pine straw has been put down at the 35 mile post, extending on through to the Knox and Bead grove. The improved section of the John Anderson highway from the Knox and Bead grove to Ormond, a distance of nine miles along the east bank of the Halifax river, is a splendid piece of work. The Volusia county gang has not quite completed this stretch, but it is promised work and will be all finished before the new season begins.

The DeLand-Daytona road while somewhat uneven is all well surfaced, and affords easy traveling The roads down through Volusia county alternate with shell, pine straw and and some saw dust, making travel a matter of real comfort and pleasure. There is a good ferry service across the head of the St. Johns river at the lower end of Lake Monroe, close to the Atlantic Coast line bridge. Once across the river in the new Seminole county, there are two miles of sandy road, which will soon be bricked from the ferry landing at Monroe right into Sanford. The distance from St. Augustine to Sanford by the John Anderson highway is, as stated, approximately 98 miles

The St. Augustine visitors left Sanford at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, traveling on back to DeLand, but instead of going over the Daytona road, what is known as the inland route is followed, through DeLeon Springs, Barberville, Pierson, Seville, Crescent City, Pomona, Satsuma, San Maeto, East Palatka and Hastings This route is far prettier than is the East Coast route, because the roads wind in and out through thousands of acres of orange groves that are in splendid condition and heavily laden with the green fruit of the new crop. An interesting sight is the enormous acreage put out by the United States government in champhor trees at Satsuma Heights. For more than three miles the highway winds through these camphor plantations; as far as the eye can see, on every side, up hill and down dale, extend field after field of young camphor trees To an utter stranger this inland route offers many difficulties, because the road is not posted, and the traveler has to very often take a chance on following the right direction. Then there are stretches of very heavy sand, especially at the upper end of Volusia county, and the lower end of Putnam county, but the information was given by road gangs at work that these uncompleted sections will be paved with shell this year.

The distance from Sanford to St. Augustine over this route is exactly 1[illegible] miles, or approximately seven miles longer than by Daytona. Another reason the return trip consumed considerable more time than the trip down was that while the roads are as a rule in very good condition, they are not straight, and it is impossible to make rapid headway.—St. Augustine Record.

EXPENSES OF CITY PLACED AT $6,500 FOR COMING YEAR

NEW CITY COUNCIL TAKES UP WORK LEFT OVER BY RETIRING BODY AND FIXES ESTIMATE ON MONEY NEEDED.

Fixing the actual expenses for running the city of New Smyrna for the next year at $6,560, the new city council at its meeting this week adopted a budget for the year, taking this action by necessity because the matter was carried over to the new council by neglect of the old body, which retired just after the annual election last week.

It is customary for the retiring city council to prepare a budget for the incoming council, but this matter was not attended to by the aldermen who retired from office this month, it being decided to leave the subject for disposal after the new aldermen had taken seats

The budget providing for the running expenses of the city for the coming year as adopted is as follows:

Streets	$2,670
Lights	1,500
Miscellaneous	1,100
Salaries	890
Sanitation	300
Special police	100
Total	$6,560

In addition to this a resolution was adopted providing for a special levy of five mills for waterworks and fire protection, which will give the city approximately $2,200, and the council estimates it will be able to reduce the present indebtedness of the city about $2,000 by the end of the year.

The resolution providing for a special levy for waterworks and fire protection reads as follows

"Be it resolved by the city council of the city of New Smyrna that a special tax of five mills for waterworks and fire protection be levied and collected on all property within the coporate limits of the said city, following in said levy the state valuation of the property within said corporation.

"Be it further resolved, that said levy be made by the city tax assessor when the city tax list shall be made up between the months of July and September, 1913, for taxes on all property within corporate limits for the year 1913."

COLLISION OF AUTOMOBILES ENLIVENS FOURTH AFTERNOON

TWO CARS COME TOGETHER AT CORNER OF CANAL AND ORANGE STREETS AND BOTH ARE DAMAGED.

A collision between two automobiles at the corner of Canal and Orange streets furnished about the only excitement of the Fourth of July in New Smyrna, the day being observed generally as a holiday and the celebration consisting mostly of family picnics, outings and gatherings.

The automobile collision furnished a little excitement for a time, but, fortunately, nobody was injured. Both cars were somewhat damaged

One car, a Cole, driven by Sidney Davis, was on Orange street coming toward Canal, and collided with the dairy auto driven by Walter Davis, which was coming east on Canal and turned onto Orange street The car driven by Sidney Davis received the most damage, the front axle being broken and the mud guards badly jammed. The dairy auto received a broken spring and lamp.

It is stated by witnesses that the car driven by Sidney Davis was on the wrong side of the road and that the collision occurred because of this fact.

Mrs. W. M. Thompson returned home Saturday with her two daughters, Helen and Louise, who have been attending school at St. Joseph's Academy in Sumpter, S. C. Mrs. Thompson attended the commencement exercises there.

BOUCHELLE MADE CHAIRMAN OF THE NEW CITY COUNCIL

ORGANIZATION IS PERFECTED BY THE APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEES AT MEETING THIS WEEK.

The New City Council—

Chairman—L. B Bouchelle.

Ordinance committee—E. L. Greer, J. L. Ditson, C. A Grimsley.

Finance committee—C A Grimsley, J Kroon, E. L. Greer

Streets—L. J. Griffin, J. L. Ditson, Geo. Saxon.

Sanitation—Geo. Saxon, J Kroon, L. J Griffin.

The new city council has been organized for the year, Dr. L. B. Bouchelle having bbeen chosen chairman at the special meeting held last week, and the first regular meeting of that organization was held Tuesday night of this week, at which time the appointment of standing committees was announced by the chairman.

The new council will be guided by rules almost similar to the ones used by the old body and the regular meeting night will be the first Tuesday after the first Monday in each month, the same as the old body.

New Streets Asked—

A petition was presented to the council this week asking that new streets be opened in the Sams subdivision, west of the railroad track. These new streets are really continuations of Anderson and Citron streets The matter was referred to the new street committee

New City Jail Needed—

On request of Marshal T. J Brooke the matter of a new city jail was brought to the attention of the aldermen, and it is probable that some action will soon be taken to rebuild the jail or at least remove it from its proximity to the railroad tracks. As it is located at present the building is a wooden structure enclosing a steel cage and its location near the railroad tracks places it in constant danger of being set on fire. With the steel cage inside it would be impossible for a prisoner to get out in case of fire.

City Map Ordered—

Aldermen Ditson and Kroon were appointed a special committee by Chairman Bouchelle with power to act in having a reliable city map drawn and prepared for guidance in laying sidewalks and locating property lines. This is something which has been needed in New Smyrna for a long time.

To Compile Ordinances—

Because the city charter and ordinances of the city of New Smyrna are in bad condition the city council decided it is necessary to have these rearranged, simplified and put into book form, and the finance committee was instructed to investigate the cost of this work and report back to the council.

OLD ANCHOR IS PULLED UP BY SUCTION DREDGE.

What boat dropped the big anchor picked up by the suction dredge Gene Hester the other day, and how long has it been lying buried in the mud on the bottom of the river?

These are questions which have been frequently asked since the dredge pulled up the big anchor a few days ago and it was brought up town to be displayed as a curiosity, but no definite answer to the questions can be given.

The anchor was found by the dredge about four feet under the mud and lying on the rock bottom of the river. Capt William Lourcey, who probably knows the North Indian river as well as any man in this vicinity, declares positively the bottom of the river at this point has not changed during the past 45 years, and there is no question but that the anchor must have been left there long before that time.

The anchor is of a different style from the ones made in these days and is rusted and corroded from its long stay in the water. It is altogether probable the anchor was dropped from the Seagull, Helen Turnbull's boat, or some other boat used by the early settlers in this section.

Many Attend U. D. C. Ball—

The Independance day ball given last Friday evening in Dohn's hall under the auspices of the U. D. C. proved a complete success. The attendance was very large.

The hall was prettily decorated with vines and flowers. Punch was served.

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GOD OF THE BIBLE VS. GOD OF CREEDS

Creed Idols of Christendom More Horrible Than Idols of Heathendom, Says Pastor Russell.

The Bible Opposed to All Idols—God Must Be Known to Be Appreciated and Truly Worshiped—Misunderstandings of the Divine Plan Have Confused Us—Ignorance the Mother of Superstition—The Morning Dawns. The Shadows Flee—True Knowledge of God Will Soon Fill the Earth and Carry Blessings to All.

Madison, Wis., July 6.—The INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION have been holding a convention here for eight days closing today. It has a large attendance of Bible Students from all parts. Pastor Russell spoke today. He took for his text the words, "The Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort."—2 Corinthians 1 3

The Pastor stated that when in India, China and Japan last year he was impressed with the intelligence of many amongst those peoples. He visited their temples to ascertain the status of the worshipers. Many seemed sincere, absolutely unmindful of anything except their own worship. He made inquiry as to whether the idol was regarded as the god, or merely as a reminder of their god. He was assured that the idol was known to be metal, stone, etc., and was used in much the same way that Catholics use the crucifix—not as worshiping that image, but merely to assist in fixing reverence and the spirit of worship.

Our Creed Idols Worse.

Pastor Russell said that at first he felt disposed to chide the heathen for the hideous features which they give their idols. But a little reflection brought him shame and confusion. He perceived that the creeds of Christendom are idols, set before our mental eyes, with exactly the same hideous features as the tangible idol before the natural eyes of the heathen. Each creed shows a slightly different image of God, but all picture Him as a most atrocious character, more hideous by far than are the idols of heathendom.

How could anybody make an idol that would speak such horrible things as all of our creeds portray by description? What artist could picture a God deliberating upon the creation of the human family with procreative powers, and before beginning His work planning and arranging a great place called Hell (and some say another called Purgatory), creating fire-proof devils to man these, laying up fuel to last throughout eternity, and then starting humanity, with the foreknowledge that thousands of millions would spend eternity in those horror chambers?

No heathen was ever capable of such imagination, and hence none ever pictured *such* a God, either in clay, metals, stone or with pen. It remained for the most cultured and civilized peoples, who had most enjoyed God's favors, to misrepresent Him most, and then to carry those misrepresentations to the heathen.

The Heathen Know It, Too.

Missionaries have indeed reached a few, said the Pastor, but their number is small; so also their intelligence. The more intelligent are agnostic. Christianity has led them to doubt their own religions, but has given them nothing instead.

When some high caste natives learned that the Pastor's preaching differed from that of the missionaries they sent a committee asking him to remain longer and assuring him of audiences of the higher caste natives. They explained that they could not receive the white man's religion because it pictured a God so terrible and so unjust as to be repugnant to their minds. Their own religion taught them to be kind even to dumb brutes.

The Pastor felt obliged to apologize for all Christendom. He explained that certain parables and symbolic passages have been misunderstood; and while we had the best intentions, Satan has kept Christendom in darkness, and led us to picture in our creeds a God who was unjust, unloving, and using His Power contrary to every principle of righteousness.

He told them, further, that the dawn of the New Age is upon us, the thousand years of Christ's Reign. God's faithful people are gradually coming to a better understanding of the Bible. He urged them to cling to the Bible, and assured them that he was endeavoring to arrange so that they may get a better understanding of what the Bible really teaches.

Good Tidings to Every Nation.

Pastor Russell's visit to foreign lands was strictly in the interests of the true Gospel—"Good tidings of great joy." The Association has had sermons translated into Japanese, Korean, Chinese, and the six principal languages of India, and millions of copies are in the hands of the people. Considerable fresh interest has been aroused. People in these lands have begun to study their Bibles.

STATE HAPPENINGS

News from Fair Florida Briefly Told

J. W. Loadholt of Lake Butler, because of stomach trouble, shot and killed himself.

After a two-years' struggle Brooksville has decided that cows can no longer perambulate within the sacred limits of that burg.

Marion is to have a wet-or-dry election very *soon*—the drys have secured a sufficient number of signatures to cause the commissioners to act.

While a mule at Arcadia was being shod he grabbed the negro holding his halter and swung him about the shop. The animal bit into the negro's leg so deeply and held his grip so strongly that iron rods had to be used to pry his jaws apart.

Beacon lights will be placed at various points on Lake Okeechobee shortly. It is proposed to put one each at the mouth of the Okeechobee, Miami and North New River canals, Lake Hickpochee and on the rocks about one mile east of Observation island.

H. J Joiner, of Florahome, Putnam county, has sent three cars of watermelons to Palatka this season. *The last car carried 1,000 of the* melons and they sold for an average price of 20c—or $200 for the lot. Still, "it doesn't pay to try to raise anything in Florida!"

An eight-acre citrus grove at *Tarpon Springs* the last season netted the owners $14,400. It is the Babcock grove. It is declared that the record will probably not be reached again, as the trees are becoming too large that they must be "thinned out" to promote their growth.

The internal revenue receipts of Florida for the last fiscal year were $1,429,929.61, while in the month of June they reached the figure of $175,911 49. While Florida makes the best cigars, it sstands only fourth *in the list as to* numbers: Pennsylvania making the largest number, with New York second.

A white man named Daly criminally assaulted an aged white woman in Fort Lauderdale last week and then made his escape to the hammock. The fellow was captured a few hours later and had a narrow escape from lynching at the hands of an infuriated gathering of citizens. The victim was 78 years old and was terribly abused. Daly was safely placed in jail before the crowd could kill him.

Miami has postponed the anniversary celebration on account of inability to secure low railway rates. The affair is now scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 7, 8 and 9. A round-trip fare from Jacksonville has been granted at $7.50 with other rates in proportion. On that basis the round-trip rate from West Palm Beach should be $1 50, and would be a puller for popularity.

Through the recommendation of Secretary Bryan, and urged by President Wilson as an "act of grace," congress will appropriate $6,000 to the heirs of Angelo Albano, an Italian subject who was lynched at Tampa during the cigarmakersc' strike three years ago. The Italian government, having thoroughly investigated the case, suggested that this course be pursued. One other Italian was lynched at the same time, but was found to be a naturalized American.

Daytona pommeled Ashton hard and this coupled with miserable fielding on the part of New Smyrna gave Daytona an easy victory Thursday afternoon of last week, at New Smyrna.

The batting of Yarborough was the feature of the game, this lad securing no less than three of New Smyrna's four hits and was robbed of a fourth hit in the fifth when Brown made a sensational running catch.

The score follows:

Daytona	AB	R	H	E
Brown, cf	4	0	0	0
Burdick, 3b	5	1	1	0
Erickson, 2b	5	0	0	1
Baldwin, c	3	1	2	0
Heath, ss	5	2	0	0
Pollitz, 1b	2	0	1	1
Hankins, rf	2	1	0	0
Livingston, lf	5	2	1	0
Porter, p	3	2	1	0
Gardner, 1b	2	1	1	0
Lastinger, p	2	0	0	0
Warner, rf	2	1	1	0
	40	11	8	2

New Smyrna	AB	R	H	E
Chilton, 1b	2	1	0	2
Yarborough, ss	4	0	3	1
Walden, 3b	3	1	0	2
Rogero, rf	4	0	1	0
Lopez, cf	3	1	0	0
Paul, c	4	1	0	1
Bryan, lf	3	0	0	0
Ashton, p	4	0	0	0
Coombs, 2b	2	0	0	1
	29	4	4	7

Summary: Two-base hit, Baldwin. Stolen bases, Yarborough, Bryan 2, Coombs. Struck out, by Porter in 6 innings, 6; by Lastinger in 3 innings, 4; by Ashton, 1. Wild pitches, Porter, Lastinger 2. Bases on balls, Porter 4, Lastinger 1. Hits, off Porter, 3; off Lastinger, 1. Umpires, [illegible] and [illegible].

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"Do you keep coffee in the bean?" "No, madam, bruins."—Boston Transcript.

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The Two Schools

A Story For the Graduation Period

By KATHLEEN J. M'CURDY

When the season comes round in which the boys and the girls speak their graduating pieces to admiring audiences—their parents and relatives furnish the admiration—the boys dressed in their Sunday clothes, the girls in simple white, I cannot refrain from thinking back to those days when all this was of so great moment to me. Even as schoolgirls we were looking forward to a time when we should be the mothers sending our children to school and listening to them orate on graduating day. And some of us girls had sweethearts long before we reached the high school. But there is a long step between a high school and a grammar school graduation and a still longer one between a high school and a college commencement.

My beau ideal at school was Fred Sumner. If I could win a little attention from him I was happy. If he frowned upon me I was like "sweet Alice" in the song of "Ben Bolt"—I trembled. He was the son of wealthy parents and one of the leaders in the social features of our school life. Happy was the girl who received an invitation to one of the children's parties at his father's home. I was thus honored, though I was not quite up to Fred Sumner's set, and I appreciated the honor.

There was another boy in the school who lived near me and who was of a very different type, Johnny Ryerson. Johnny's mother was a widow and in straitened circumstances. She really couldn't afford to keep Johnny at school, but she did, though as soon as he was old enough to work she needed what he could earn. Johnny studied very hard. He was obliged to study hard, because he did not learn readily. But what Johnny learned he learned thoroughly. In this he was unlike my idol, Fred Sumner, who learned so easily that he seldom paid much attention to his studies till just before examination, when he would do all his studying at once.

When Fred went away to college I was considered his best girl. He would leave me alone once in awhile to go after some other, but invariably came back to me. What it was that drew him to me I don't know. I was certainly nothing of a belle, and the social standing of my family was nothing like his. Nevertheless there must have been something in me to attract him, for he certainly gave me the preference, and before he was graduated he told me "his story."

When we all got through the high school the question came up as to going to college. Girls were not so used to getting a college education then as now, and I, not having the means to carry me through without working my own way, concluded not to take a university course. Fred Sumner went to one of the large colleges, where he soon became prominent. He was elected a member of one of the most select fraternities and was altogether an all round desirable fellow.

Johnny Ryerson's mother made up her mind that her son should have a college education, and she bent her energies to that end. Q—— college was but a few miles from where we lived, and Johnny could go there and sleep and eat at home. At least that's what he did, though how nobody could find out. Johnny didn't get into any of the fraternities and, in fact, took a back seat all through his college course. How could he be prominent when he never had any money to subscribe for the different affairs of his class or his college that must be paid for by subscription? Besides, he was working at something all the while. During the winter months he worked at odd jobs, though he was obliged to confine himself to such as he could do at certain times, for not being smart he was obliged to study hard in order to get through college, and even then he took rather a low stand in his class.

While John was in college I was living at home, and when he had time he used to come to see me, for we had been brought up in the same town and had always known each other. I knew very well what his mother was doing for him, how she pinched and saved and worked to get money to help her boy to get an education.

Somehow I took it into my head that I was an object of more than especial interest to John. It did not trouble me as no woman is troubled at a superfluity of lovers—but I felt sorry that I could not reciprocate. John was not my ideal at all. That ideal was Fred Sumner. No two men could have been more different. Sumner's clothes were in the height of fashion, and his manners were delightful, especially with women, toward whom he was charmingly deferential. John Ryerson not only wore his hat on all occasions, but it was very shabby. Moreover, he had no fraternity badge to pin on his waistcoat. In other words, he was not considered of enough importance to be elected a member of a fraternity.

And yet there was something about him that I liked. I suppose it was his honesty. The world, especially the social world, takes no account of integrity. Those who are on top are there because they are there, and so long as they have the wherewithal to stay there they can do so. If they disappoint society by doing something to cause their fall society simply walks over their carcasses and goes on, but does not profit by the matter. That is something with which society has nothing to do. Society exists in college as everywhere else. There is the same social climbing in a university as there is on upper Fifth avenue, New York. Considering all this, I couldn't help feeling sorry for John that he must continually take a back seat.

My two admirers graduated within a few days of each other. I attended the commencement exercises at both colleges. The commencement at Sumner's university was held first. He invited me especially, and I was under his care while I was there. He had an appointment to speak at commencement, but did not avail himself of it. I found that he had become one of those who affect to despise learning. This class of students has largely increased of late. They go to college more as girls go to a finishing school, assuming that a university is a small world with all the struggles, triumphs, failures and other features of the world they are about to enter, and it is well to have some training for the larger field before entering it.

"What do men in a law case care about oratory? They want evidence," said Fred to me when I was arguing the case with him. Since I could not refute him I held my tongue.

Having gone to see Fred Sumner graduate, I was obliged to be content with seeing him elected a member of the Creme de la Creme, the tiptop of all the fraternities. He said himself that he would rather have that election than take the valedictory. He stood well in his class, he said, and that was all he cared for. These ideas were new to me, but since I knew nothing about college life I could form no opinion of my own, though I admit it struck me that if social prominence is the desideratum I could not see but that Sumner was right. He had kept in the leading class of students and was altogether desirable. A valedictory or a salutatory would not likely have improved his status.

After a pleasant visit, a delightful evening at a graduating dance at which Fred filled my card with the most prominent men of his class, including a multimillionaire, who seemed more desirable than any of the honor men, I left for home. Fred begged me to give him a reply to his suit before parting, and I would have made it then and in the affirmative, but I believed he would appreciate it more from having to wait for it. So, in order to let him feel that he had a rival, I said that I would defer my answer till after the commencement at Q—— college. This had the effect I desired, I'm sure.

The exercises at our home college, comprising not more than 400 students, was very different from the one I had just attended. I went to see John's mother as soon as I reached home, and she told me that her son had insisted upon her coming to the college to hear him speak at commencement. She had so pinched her wardrobe that she was obliged to tell him that she had nothing fit to wear. John had replied that, if she had nothing but a dress of gunny bags, still she must come. She did not wish to go, for her son would surely be ashamed of her attired in an old alpaca she had had for fifteen years and a hat that had been out of fashion for a still longer period. But John had put his foot down, and she dare not refuse.

At the exercises I took a seat directly behind the old lady, being curious to see how she would act while John was speaking. When it came his turn to deliver his oration I was struck with a certain practical simplicity there was about it. His subject was, "Why Do We Go to College?" It seemed to me that there was far more depth to what he said than to what Sumner had said to me on the same subject. The principal point he made was: "We must prepare to do our best in the world by doing our best in college. A college career will not in itself give us success, but it gives us better weapons with which to fight."

When John had finished his oration he did something that won me to him far more forcibly than anything he had said. On receiving his diploma he marched down the center aisle in full view of every one present to where his mother sat in her barbarous costume and laid the sheepskin in her lap. Then, putting his arms around her neck, he kissed her.

Most of those present knew the story the act told—a story of pinch and save, a sto.y of devotion from a mother to a son and its final reward. It was followed by a clapping of hands, through which John walked back to his place looking as though he realized the applause solely due to the heroine, his old mother in her alpaca dress and out of date hat.

I considered that I as well as both my suitors was upon the threshold of the great world, and it behooved me to choose between the two schools they represented. My whole being was suddenly turned to that represented by John Ryerson. At any rate, it filled me with a sudden antipathy to the other. The same evening after my return from the commencement exercises at Q—— college I wrote Fred Sumner an irrevocable refusal.

John Ryerson from that time gradually became more and more to me. I finally married him, and it seems to me that while I got nothing showy I did get all that is really best in a man. Nor is it the showy attributes that count in the long run. My husband has been able to give me and our children all the comforts we need, and whenever he is spoken of by his fellow citizens it is, "There's a man to tie to."

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W. D. BRADSHAW RE-APPOINTED COUNTY ROAD SUPERINTENDENT

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGAIN ADJUST THE TOLL RATES OVER ORMOND BRIDGE AND GRANT COMPANY LICENSE.

At the regular meeting of the board of county commissioners held at DeLand Monday evening, W. D. Bradshaw, of Daytona, was re-appointed road superintendent for a period of two years, dating from the first day of July Mr. Bradshaw is to receive a salary of $200 per month, he to furnish is own automobile and pay its running expenses. Commissioners Fisher, Maley and Harden voted for the appointment of Mr. Bradshaw and Commissioners Murray and Cade against him.

Jerome D. Maley, the new commissioner from the Fourth district, presented his commission from Governor Trammell and took part in the business of the meeting. Mr. Maley was appointed as a member of the finance committee and poor house committee, the same positions held by former commissioner William Jackson, whom he succeeded.

Road Commissioner Bradshaw submitted his report as follows:

"I beg leave to report to you as follows:

"District No. 1.—Repairs to bridges on Osteen-Sanford road, also progress shelling on same through Holden Prairie, 1060 yards of shell spread on Orange City-Beck's Ferry road.

"District No 2—Completion of bridges and grades on DeLand-New Smyrna road, with the exception of right of way and grading from the west end of old grade to junction of DeLand-Lake Helen road with pine straw. Rebuilding of bridges on DeLand-Daytona road from middle stockade to the east district line.

"District No. 4.—Ditches completed on DeLand-Daytona road from Tomoka to Rimer ridge; all bridges rebuilt on same from Tiger Bay to Daytona with the exception of three; about nine miles of surface repairing on same; have stopped hauling on road and am hauling about 100 yards of marl a day from pit to high land where it will be available in rainy season; have had some repairs made on shell road on John Anderson highway between Mount Zion and Smith creek bridge.

"District No. 5.—Have inspected bridge over Spruce creek on Port Orange and Indian Springs road and find same in bad condition; advise that same be repaired or abandoned, as it is in a dangerous condition; have inspected bridges over Spruce creek and Rose Bay on Daytona-New Smyrna road and find same in very bad condition, as I have reported before, and recommend that same have immediate attention; report progress on right of way and grade on New Smyrna-DeLand road, think same can be completed to New Smyrna-Indian Springs road in about 45 days."

Another import piece of business transacted by the commissioners was the granting of a license to operate a toll bridge across the Halifax river at Ormond to the Florida East Coast Railway company and fixing the rates of toll to be charged. At the June meeting the rates of toll were ordered reduced so as to be the same as the rates of the Daytona bridges, but the railroad company asked for another hearing, and after conferring with a number of the leading citizens of Ormond a number of concessions favorable to the company were made. The resolution covering the matter which was adopted by the board is as follows:

"Whereas, the Florida East Coast Railway, owners of the bridge across the Halifax river at Ormond, has made application for a license to maintain and operate a toll and railroad bridge across the Halifax river at Ormond, Florida, and has given notice of said application as required by law;

"Therefore, Be it resolved that said application be and the same is hereby granted, and that said Florida East Coast Railway is hereby authorised to maintain and operate a toll and railroad bridge at the above designated point for the period of ten years from this date; they to give bond conditioned as required by law, in the sum of $200.00, the same to be approved by the clerk.

"That said bridge shall be opened and in operation for traffic on each day during the said period from daylight until dark; and that the following rates of toll may be charged, to-wit:

"Section 1. A class of detachable coupon tickets to be issued in strips containing ten coupons, selling at twenty-five cents per strip and in books containing forty coupons and selling at one dollar per book; the coupons in said book to be received whether detached from the book or otherwise.

"Setion 2. Books of coupons containing forty coupons each and to be sold at the following rates: 5 books of 40 coupons each, 200 coupons at 2c each, $4.00; 10 books of 40 coupons each, 400 coupons at 1¾c each, $6.00; 15 books of 40 coupons each, 600 coupons at 1½c each, $9.00; 25 books of 40 coupons each, 1,000 coupons at 1c each, $10.00 These books to bear names of family, firms and employees and limited to one year from date of sale, and coupons to be honored only when accompanied by the book

"Section 3. A special or school-coupon ticket containing two tickets for each school day in the month and selling at fifty cents per month. The following rates will apply in connection with the first two classes of tickets above named: Pedestrians, each, either direction, 1 coupon or 5c; one horse and rider, either direction, 3 coupons or 10c; one horse vehicle and driver, either direction, 4 coupons or 15c; two horse vehicle and driver, either direction, 5 coupons or 20c; each additional horse or person, either direction, 1 coupon or 5c; each passenger in street car, 1 coupon or 5c; automobile and one person, either direction, 5 coupons or 20c; each additional person, 1 coupon or 5c; bicycles, wheel chairs and baby carriages free, except that 5c or 1 coupon shall be collected for each passenger All other vehicles, propelled by hand or other power, 5c each way, or 2 coupons, in addition to regular charge for passenger.

"It is ordered that the coupon books as described in Section 2 of above schedule of tolls shall be sold from May 15 to Oct. 15, of each year, and are not to be transferrable.

"It is further ordered that all coupon books shall be on sale at the toll house of said bridge company."

Otto R. Kirchoff, of DeLeon Springs, was appointed county enumerator of agricultural statistics for 1913 and 1914.

The tax books for the year 1913 were examined and valuations as fixed by Assessor S. B. Wilson were accepted, and the millage fixed as follows: General revenue, 3 mills; general school, 7 mills; special road, 6 mills; fine and forfeiture, 1 mill A special sub-district school tax of 3 mills was ordered in districts 2, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 23, 27, 30, 32, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 49 and 52.

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Seabreeze

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

SEABREEZE, July 11.—The regular monthly meeting of the council Monday night, not having a quorum present, was postponed until Wednesday night.

School Building Contract Let—

On recommendation of the local school board the contract for a one-story school building for primary grades to be built on the east end of the school property, was awarded Robt. K. Crawford by the county school board. H. A. Horn and Wesly Herrick and Professor D. D. Davis attended the school board meeting in DeLand Monday evening. The plans and specifications submitted by the school trustees were accepted by the county board. The house is to be erected at a cost of $1843. It will front on Peninsula drive, and be 30x54 feet. The work is expected to begin about the 15th of this month.

Miss Temperance Vaughn, of Augusta, Ga., has been elected to assist Miss Brown in the high school work.

Arrived on the Fourth—

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Stuart are rejoicing over the arrival, July 4th, of a ten-pound boy baby. He came right in the stir of things and being quite lusty and young will no doubt center the attention of the family group for some time to come. However, his birthday celebrations will come easy.

Camping Party at DeLeon Springs—

A party of Seabreeze and Daytona Beach young people enjoyed an outing at DeLeon Springs from Thursday until Monday this week. The trip was made in motor cars, the party including Messrs. Robt. Mims, Jones Moore, George Horn and Arthur Moore, Misses Margurite Freeman, Claire and Jessie Tomlinson, Charlie Freeman, all of Seabreeze and Daytona Beach. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. John Allen. They were later joined by Mr. Robertson, of New Smyrna. There was a breakdown of the Mims' car, and an extra car was called in commission, and other minor mishaps which but accentuated the otherwise jolly times enjoyed.

News Notes—

Miss Julia Stewart, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. L. Kochersperger more or less for the month past, went up to Jacksonville on the excursion Thursday to join her mother and family who are now making that busy metropolis their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shacklett, of DeLand, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs N E Bates on Atlantic avenue

Dr. Morrisey is having the old Beekman house and cottage torn down and will have the lot cleared and put in good shape

Miss Johnson has this week been having boxed and shipped to Indio, Cal., household goods stored at her house by Mrs. E. E. Dayton and family when they moved north several years ago. They are now making California their home.

Miss Margaret Willard, one of Palatka's charming young ladies, is visiting Miss Marie Merryday at her home, Bonnie Doon, on the beach.

Mrs. Merryday and son, Harlow, have returned from Palatka, where they visited friends and took in the Fourth of July celebration.

W T. Ledbetter, owner and manager of the Putnam house, Palatka, enjoys the distinction of being the first guest of the Neptune hotel, which opened this week under the management of Mr. and Mrs Leon Despland. Mrs. Despland has had many of her beautiful plants brought over from Daytona, and the hotel is being artistically decorated by choice setting of same.

R. D. Taylor entertained his father-in-law, T. M. Lett, of Miami, from Tuesday until Saturday of last week Mr. Lett made the trip from Miami on his motorcycle, en route to Jacksonville.

The motorcycle racing crowd, including Clarence Lauther and John Harper, the latter of whom won the first and second races at the racing carnival on the Fourth, spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. Taylor There were a bunch of others with Messrs. Lauther and Harper, who are old friends of Mr. Taylor, and he was put to to accommodate all, but after they left the house seemed quite lonesome

Mrs. George W. Buckner leaves Friday on her annual visit to her son and relatives in Indianapolis, Ind Her son, Walter G. Biggers, who is traveling auditor of the Big Four, will meet her in Cincinnati, O., and go on to Indianapolis with her. Mrs Buckner expects to be away for a couple of months.

Mrs. Robert Stringfellow, of Pineland, who stopped here last week en route to California to visit her daughter, Mrs. Cox, for a week, leaves today for Los Angeles to visit another daughter.

Mrs. H. G. Whittset entertained a porch party at the Whittset cottage Monday afternoon

Mr. Wilmington is having his beach lot north of the Neptune graded preparatory to erecting a two-story residence.

A new wooden retaining wall and new street steps have improved the appearance of Mrs. H. S. Morrison's residence on the corner of Oakridge boulevard and North Peninsula drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Baggett finally moved to Kingston last Wednesday. Their cottage has been leased by Miss Halliday and her father of Orange City. Miss Halliday, who has formerly taught in the Seabreeze school, will again this winter hold a position as teacher in the school.

Mrs. Nick Hufford, of Columbus, O., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lund, arrived Thursday on her long-expected visit with her parents.

Dr. Morrisey is having a couple of lots on Palmetto avenue, between Butler and Ocean boulevard underbrushed and grubbed.

A two-foot cement block wall has just been completed around Mrs. M. J. Murphy's three lots, including her residential property on Ocean boulevard. She has also had cement sidewalk laid along her property on Grandview avenue. The work is neat and workmanlike, and quite an improvement to the street as well as the property.

The friends of Mrs. Daisy Dryer will be gratified to learn of the excellent reports of Allston Dryer, her son, coming from the Manual Training school of Chicago, Ill., which he has been attending for the year past. Allston will graduate from this school August 19, having covered a grade and one-half in a year's time. From this school he expects to enter the Armour Tech. for a four years' course, which he hopes to finish in half that time. Allston is 16 years old, and a very recent picture sent to his mother, shows wonderful development in his figure and countenance.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Johnson have moved into their beach residence on Oakridge boulevard for the summer.

Mrs. J. M. Murphy and children, Hazel and Cecil, left Monday afternoon on their return to Orange Mills after a week spent at their Ideal cottage, on Ocean boulevard.

J. R. Wilcox and J. A. and Leo Burgman returned last week from their trip to Miami. Hearing discouraging reports of the heat and mosquitoes they decided not to continue their cruise to the west coast.

Alderman H. G. Wilson went over to DeLand Monday night to meet with the county commissioners in adjustment of Seabreeze taxes. He returned home Tuesday afternoon.

NEW SURVEY OF CYPRESS SWAMP LAND BEING MADE.

MIAMI, July 9.—Believing that the great cypress swamp of between a million and a half and two million acres in extent, which lies west of the Everglades, is an inseparable part of the drainage district of the Florida peninsula and that that great forest may prove to be a territory equally as valuable as the Everglades, the state drainage commission is taking steps to make a thorough survey of it, and a surveying party of fourteen men is now nearing the west coast, having penetrated the heart of the great swamp.

Although some of the oldest settlements in the United States are located in Florida, there are still some parts of this state that are yet unexplored, and the cypress swamp is one of these. It is said that no complete report, or a report that in any way tended to be comprehensive, has ever been made of this territory. Hunters have brought back the report that the cypress timber of that section is as fine as can be found any where in the world. The wealth which the opening up of such a large forest of valuable timber would bring to the state is believed to be great, and acting on this belief the commission is bending every effort to obtain complete data upon it, and will include its findings in its general report upon the drainage district of Florida.

Enormous difficulties were presented to the surveyors as they planned for this undertaking. Nearly one hundred miles were to be traversed, much of the distance through a forest and swamp, covered with water in most places from two to five feet in depth. Only meagre details as to how the party has fared in its arduous journey have been learned by the Miami office, but it is believed that the engineers are now near the west coast.

Up until the present the attention of the state has been turned to drainage of the Everglades proper, and with the exception of the connection of the Caloosahatchee river with Lake Okeechobee by a canal in the extreme northern part of the territory to which the drainage commission is now turning its attention, no work has been done or plans laid for the reclamation of the swamp. When the Everglades drainage commission was formed, however, composed of some of the best engineers in the country, it was quickly apprehended by them that the conditions of the territory west of the Everglades would have to be determined before any complete report could be made on the Everglades themselves. The per cent of the rainfall on the Everglades which runs off across this swamp must be accurately determined, according to these engineers, as well as the run-off in other directions, and the effect that a heavy rainfall on the swamp would have upon the Everglades, should they be drained, must needs be known.

Help Others.

Have you sorrows or trials that seem very heavy to bear? Then let me tell you that one of the best ways in the world to lighten and sweeten them is to lose yourself in the service of others, in helping to bear and lighten those of a fellow-being whose, perchance, are much more grievous than your own. . . . When turned in this way, sorrow is the most beautiful soul-refiner of which the world knows, and hence not to be shunned, but, to be welcomed and rightly turned.—R. W. Trine.

Combination of Languages.

The Hebrews who live in Germany speak the German language, using among themselves a peculiar dialect called "Yiddish," that term being itself a corrupt form of the German word Judisch. Russian Hebrews also use this language, while by a curious chain of historic events Turkish Hebrews speak Spanish. Printed Yiddish shows an interesting combination of languages, the words being essentially German, but printed in Hebrew characters.—Christian Herald.

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Trousers, $2.50 grade	$1.75	Trousers, $4.50 grade	$3.20
Trousers, 3.00 grade	2.15	Trousers, 5.00 grade	3.60
Trousers, 3.50 grade	2.35	Trousers, 6.00 grade	3.95
Trousers, 4.00 grade	2.80	Trousers, 6.50 grade	4.25

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. P. W. DeHoff and children of Jacksonville arrived Tuesday and are visiting Mrs. E. M. Little.

Attorney Murray Sams of DeLand spent the Fourth here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Sams.

H. S. Walker and L. H. Barber made a business trip to DeLand Saturday in Mr. Walker's car.

Conductor O. H. Pellett of the Dupont Land & Railway company spent Sunday here with his family on Canal street.

Mrs. Cecil Raper expects to leave some time this week for a several months visit with relatives in Philadelphia.

W. W Vincent, who recently resigned his position with the F. E. C. railroad, will probably leave August 1 for Waycross, Ga., where he will accept a position.

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Taylor Langford is filling the position of Norman Berry in the Fidelity bank while Mr. Berry is away on his vacation.

Mrs. R. J. Skipper left yesterday for Jacksonville, where she will visit friends. Mrs. Skipper will probably remain several weeks before returning.

J. E. Alexander and wife of DeLand have taken the Myers cottage at Coronado and will spend the month of July enjoying a rest in the cooling ocean breezes.

Mrs. Henry Woodward of Miami has been visiting relatives in New Smyrna during the past week. Mrs. Woodward has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Solano, in St. Augustine and stopped off here on her way back to her home in Miami.

*Great Shoveling Out Sale.
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Mrs. L. E. McCorkle has been quite sick for several days of this week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Galbreath early last Friday morning.

Norman Berry left Monday for Saluda, N. C., where he will spend some time visiting.

*Watch our windows for special bargains daily during Great Shoveling Out Sale. H. W. DAVIS & CO.

Miss Blanche Moody expects to leave Tuesday for Lakeland, where she will visit friends and relatives.

James Stewart, well known as the popular piano player in the Palace theatre, spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting in St. Augustine.

Quite a few of the young men of New Smyrna went up to Daytona the Fourth and witnessed the base ball game there between Daytona and DeLand.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dumble left Monday for points in Canada where they will visit relatives of Mr. Dumble. They expect to be gone the entire summer.

Miss Alice Pellett will leave Tuesday for St. Augustine at which place she will attend school at St. Joseph's academy.

Benj. Pacetti spent Sunday in the city and returned to New Smyrna this morning. He reports being quite busy in his new home.—St. Augustine Record.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lovejoy will leave Monday for their summer home in Kenebunk, Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Lovejoy have remained in New Smyrna longer this year that usual.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Amidon. This society has decided to meet but twice a month during the remainder of the summer.

J. H. Hibbard and daughter Whitney spent several days of this week visiting in DeLand.

*The Great Shoveling Out Sale begins tomorrow.

Sidney Treadwell of St. Augustine spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Treadwell.

Mrs. Jenkins and daughter of Miami who have been visiting Mrs. A. M. Yarborough for some time returned home Saturday.

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Geo. B. Day who has been visiting friends here for several weeks left Wednesday for Fort Myers. Mr. Day will preach there.

Miss Viola Purdom of Bogratone, Fla., arrived this week and is visiting J. L. Ditson and family. Miss Purdom is Mrs. Ditson's niece.

P. L. Paul, wife and daughter Mabel, who have been visiting relatives in Jacksonville for several weeks, returned home Monday.

**FOR RENT—Good office or small store room in New Smyrna News building. Enquire at News office.

Dr. L. L. Copeland of Jacksonville, who, with his wife, has been visiting his father-in-law, G. W. Brown, at Coronado Beach, returned home Tuesday.

W. I. Berry, wife and two children of Apopka, Fla., are spending the month of July on the beach in the Smith cottage. Mr. Berry is a brother of J. R. Berry well known in New Smyrna.

Ray S. Vance, Associated Press operator for the Tampa Tribune, is in the city for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Rood. Mr. Vance is enjoying his annual vacation from his newspaper work and has just returned from an extended trip through the north and west. Mr. Vance and the editor of the News were formerly associated in newspaper work in Wisconsin.

Mrs. W. A. Fischer who has been visiting relatives for some time in Dawson, Ga., arrived home Saturday.

Miss Bessie Johnson of Arcadia who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Cole, returned to her home Saturday.

Miss Anna Mabbette left this week for Jacksonville, where she will spend several days visiting friends.

O. F. Brown who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown during their stay at Coronado Beach returned to Lakeland yesterday.

*If you are looking for bargains step in to the Great Shoveling Out Sale.

W. P. Spiers, a well known business man and real estate owner of Jacksonville, was in the city Friday and Saturday looking over the business prospects of New Smyrna.

Mrs. C. A. Roach, baby and daughters expect to leave Thursday for Blackfoot, Idaho, where they will visit Yellowstone National park and other points of interest in the west. They expect to remain the entire summer, returning about the first of October.

Next Tuesday evening Mrs. George L. Day will give an illustrated lecture on the people, the customs and the lands of Palestine, where she spent many years laboring as a missionary. She will be assisted by 15 young women and gentlemen dressed in Oriental costumes. The lecture will be given in the Trinity hall of the Trinity M. E. church.

Women Entertained by Men—

The water melon social given Tuesday night in the church parlors of the Trinity M. E. church by the men in honor of the women was largely attended and proved a complete success.

Mr. Day gave a reading which was received with delight by his audience and he was encored several times.

The feature of the evening was the number given by the quartette, "The Quartette Sang in the Silent Mute." The quartette consisted of H. S. Walker, V. D. Cape, M. A. Branson and C. O. Williams.

George Hood Sent to the Asylum—

An examining board consisting of Dr. George E. Davis, Dr. John [illegible] and Z. T. Bielby appeared before Judge McCrory upon petition signed by a number of business men of DeLand and declared George Hood to be insane. An attache of the insane asylum arrived from Chattahoochee the first of the week and took George to the "hospital." George has been around DeLand several years. He was afflicted with epilepsy. He was most willing to work when able, but had a violent and ungovernable temper, and will be much better off where he can have kind treatment and three good meals a day.—DeLand News.

MILITIA ENROUTE TO STATE ENCAMPMENT

Company I, Second Infantry National Guard of Florida, from Key West, in command of Capt. Bernard J. Waite, passed through New Smyrna Saturday enroute to Black Point to join the regiment for the annual encampment held there this week. The company was accompanied by Major Samuel J. Wolfe of Key West the commanding officer of the Second batallion, Second Infantry, together with his official staff. Company I is one of the best companies of the state militia, having for several years won the state pennant for general efficiency.

The two Miami companies and band also passed through New Smyrna Sunday enroute to Black Point.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Port Orange

MRS. J. L. PATTILLO, Correspondent

PORT ORANGE, July 9.—Those who attended the Spruce creek picnic on the Fourth report a fighting good time with plenty of liquid refreshments.

Davis McDonald was down from Jacksonville on the Fourth mingling with friends and kins-people.

Mr. and Mrs. Briggs left Tuesday for the north to spend a couple of months among kindred and friends. Mr. Briggs goes to Wisconsin while Mrs. Briggs goes to Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Harriette Pope departed last week for Ohio and other points in the north where she will spend the summer with her children and friends.

W. B. Crane, of Atlanta, came down for a few days fishing over the Fourth, leaving for home Sunday. While here he was the guest of his friend, C. J. Vass, and his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nolan.

James DuBois and wife, of Washington, D. C., are spending a fortnight with the former's mother, sister and brother, Dr. H. K. DuBois.

The friends of J. M. Cumming, who owns a winter home here, will regret to learn that he has suffered a second stroke of apoplexy at his summer home in Ohio, and at last reports was not expected to recover.

A fireworks display from the Port Orange bridge was enjoyed by our citizens on the night of the Fourth.

The school election on last Saturday passed off very quietly, the results showing four against eleven for a three mills levy for the next two years. While the majority vote is gratifying, it is to be regretted that there are even four who oppose the interest of the school.

The trustees have recommended Miss Mabel Carter for primary teacher and she was appointed by the school board at their meeting last Monday.

Mr. McGruder, of Orlando, while autoing on the beach Saturday afternoon, had the misfortune to be caught by the incoming tide. The car was dug out about midnight and taken to Daytona.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Wells, Jr., returned home Saturday afternoon from a few days' visit to friends in DeLand and Sanford.

Preaching at the Methodist church next Sunday morning by the pastor.

The community picnic on the public school grounds on the Fourth, while not largely attended, proved to be a most delightful occasion to those who wer present.

The Misses Maude and Ethel Carter, of Daytona, spent the Fourth here with home folks. The host of friends of these young ladies are always glad to have them home for a season.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Lufberry and little son, Robt., Jr., arrived last week and are located in the Brohm cottage for a few weeks. Mrs. Lufberry, formerly Miss May Brohm, was raised here and was married to Mr. Lufberry while he made his home here with his father. Mr. and Mrs. Lufberry now make their home in Denver, Colo., but have been visiting Mr. Lufberry's mother in Pensacola.

The rain for which this section has been suffering for several weeks came in great abundance Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Yelvington has returned home from a visit to her husband's people at Yelvington.

Mrs. Joan H. C. Howes went to Orlando last week to spend a few days with her son, T. P. Howes and family, returning here Monday. Mrs. Howes left again on Tuesday for Dennis, Mass., where she will visit friends for the remainder of the summer.

Arriving on the fifteenth instant, Rev. T. H. Thompson, pastor of the Methodist church at Tifton, Ga., will spend several days with his old schoolmate, J. L. Pattillo. Brother Thompson is a most charming gentleman and friends made on former visits will be delighted to see him.

Coronado

CORONADO, Jply 9.—W. T. Berry with his wife, daughter and son, of Apopka, have taken the Smith cottage for a month.

J. E. Alexander and wife of DeLand, are stopping in one of the beach cottages.

A. V. Phillips and wife, of Orlando, spent a couple of days at the Atlantic house recently.

A. W. Stone, of Winter Park, joined his wife at the Atlantic house July 4th. They expect to remain two weeks.

P. F. Grey leaves some time during the week to join his wife in Jacksonville. He will stay only a few days.

E. L. Anderson, of Dunnellon, is a guest at the Atlantic house.

The Emmett Small of the canal line arrived Saturday evening, leaving the iron for the bridge and 195 sacks of cement for W. L. Cooper.

The Civic League held its regular monthly meeting Monday night. There was little business and all left early.

Control of Man.

Circumstances are beyond the control of man; but his conduct is in his own power.—Disrneli.

Unfortunate Children.

The sins of the father are often visited upon the children in the shape of stocks and bonds.—Lippincott's.

Ormond

J. A. REILLY, Correspondent

ORMOND, July 10.—The station agent, Mr. Wylie, is enjoying a vacation of a few days, spending a good deal of his time with his family in trips on the waters about Ormond.

Frank Blount and daughter, Elise, of Punta Gorda, are visiting Mrs. Lula Hall. Mr. Blount will remain only a few days, but Miss Elise expects to spend some time with her aunt.

Mrs. Macon Thornton and son, Burwell, returned to Ormond a few days since. Mrs. Thornton has been in Spring Hill, Tenn., in attendance upon the wedding of her sister, Miss Eleanor Roberts who married Allen Campbell on June 11th. Burwell has been attending the Randolph-Macon School for Boys at Front Royal, Va., and is now home for the summer.

The basket picnic at the pavilion on Ormond Beach the Fourth was very well attended. Prizes were offered to the successful winners in the various sports and races, the children, young people and some of the elders entering the games with a good deal of enthusiasm. A bountiful basket luncheon was enjoyed at five o'clock, fifteen gallons of ice cream being served free. The committee in charge consisted of Rev. George B. Waldron, George A. Carleton, Samuel McNeill and J. A. Reilly. Those owning autos used them liberally in the transportation of the townspeople to and from the beach.

Leonard Knox, of Mound Grove, has been having quite extensive repairs made on his residence and other buildings. Milo McNeal, who is looking after the painting, will probably finish this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Collis and little daughted, Josephine, left in their auto for Lexington, Ky., Wednesday morning. Mrs. J. D. Price went by train on Thursday meeting Mr. and Mrs. Collis in Jacksonville en route to Lexington.

Messrs. Andrew Bostrom, W. Frank Colby, Joe Davis and John A. Reilly met with the county commissioners at DeLand Monday evening, in regard to the toll charges over the Ormond bridge. The attorney for the F. E. C. Bridge Co. was present and set Tuesday morning as the time for the hearing. The F. E. C. company submitted the following rates:

5 books, 40 tickets each, 200 tickets for $4.00.

10 books, 40 tickets each, 400 tickets for $6.00.

15 books, 40 tickets each, 600 tickets for $9.00

25 books, 40 tickets each, 1000 tickets for $10.00.

The attorney for the railroad company, after considerable debating, decided to do this for four months in each year. The county commissioners fixed the time limit during which these books may be purchased to five months to run from May 15th to Oct. 15th of each year. This new rate is to go into effect in ten days, July 18th, and is good until Oct. 15th of this year.

Holly Hill

HOLLY HILL, July 8.—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baggett and Mrs. Baggett's mother, Mrs K. Haney, moved into the Thompson place last week from Daytona Beach. Thursday Mrs. Haney and daughter will go to Jacksonville for a month to visit their son and brother.

Mrs. M. G. Haynes, of Tampa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. V. C. Fuquay.

George Marshall, of DeLand, was visiting his brother-in-law, D. C. Clifton, a few days last week. He stayed over until aftr the Fourth, so as to enter his horse in the races on the beach.

Quite a number from this place enjoyed a barbecue at Andrew Hull's on the Fourth.

Messrs. Sam and Fred Smith came up from Titusville Thursday to spend the Fourth with their sister, Mrs. Andrew Hull.

Rev. S. Linneaus Jackson will preach at this place Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

W. J. Harding came up from Cocoa Saturday and stayed until Sunday afternoon.

Edwin Peterson went over to Pierson Thursday afternoon and visited relatives and friends until Sunday.

W. T. Mauck, of Atlanta, Ga., has purchased Mrs. Anna Ablos' place on Ridgewood avenue for the occupancy of himself and wife.

His Maiden Name.

A colored man in ol' Virginia had changed masters several times, and in each new home had a new name given him. At length he fell into the hands of a master who was in the habit of consulting the wishes of his negroes, and who asked, by way of getting acquainted: "What is your name, uncle?" "Jus' as yo' say, massa; jus' as yo' say," said the darky. "My las' massa called me Sambo, sah, but as well as I can 'member my maiden name, sah, was Noah."

Health Height.

The highest point to which man can ascend without his health being very seriously affected is 16,500 feet.—New York Journal.

Daytona Beach

MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

DAYTONA BEACH, July 11.—Mrs. Rosalie Strunk and two little daughters, Beulah and Laura, of Gainesville, are at Daytona Beach for a month's stay. The many friends of this estimable lady are glad to welcome her again.

A special election of the registered and qualified electors of the town of Daytona Beach has been called by the mayor on July 21 for the following purposes: (1) To elect a member of the town council to fill the unexpired term of Arthur Budgen, deceased, and (2) To determine whether the town of Daytona Beach shall issue bonds in the sum of $20,000 for the purpose of providing a waterworks system for said town. Only registered voters of said town who own real estate therein and have paid their taxes for the year last due thereon shall be qualified to vote on the question of the issuing of bonds.

Council Doings—

Council met in regular session Monday night, President Smith in the chair; Aldermen Thompson, Shoemaker, Grant, present. After the routine of ordering bills paid, etc., the report from the two town caucuses was accepted and the names of the nominees for alderman was ordered placed on the official ballot. The council granted four building permits to L. Z. Burdick, three on Hollywood avenue and one on Palmetto avenue. The clerk's report on the cost of building up Coates street from Harvey to Seabreeze avenue was accepted and the clerk was instructed to notify the abutting property holders of th cost per foot. Total expenses, $469.13. Assessment per foot to abutting property holders, .264 of $1. Clark Smith, representing the Cooperative Waterworks company, made verbal complaint of the assessment laid on the company on Duke street. The chair appointed a committee to look into the matter. Alderman Grant gave notice that at the next meeting he would present an ordinance on regulating the construction of sidewalks. A vote of thanks was given C. H. Willson for services rendered. Ordinances regulating the closing of poolrooms and other places of amusement and for bird protection, forbidding the use of air guns, etc., passed on second reading.

The two candidates in the field to fill the unexpired term of Arthur Budgen, deceased, are Thos. J. Gushee, nominated in town caucus held July 5 at the town hall, and George Swartz, nominated July 7 at the Beach house.

Mrs. Minnie F. Barnes met with the council Monday evening and made a strong plea for a city park for the children's playground, for a general clean-up day, for the protection of the song birds and that the tax payers be notified of the amount of their taxes each year and where to pay them. At the close of her talk, on motion by Alderman Thompson, a vote of thanks was extended Mrs. Barnes.

General News Notes—

Mrs. John B. Foster, whose health has greatly improved, left Sunday for Cumberland, Md. and points in Ohio, to visit friends and relatives, expecting to be absent about two months. In the meantime her son, Mr. Foster, will keep bachelor quarters at the home place on Peninsula drive

Dr. Morrisey is having an artesian well bored on his grounds on Peninsula drive. It takes a liberal supply of water this weather to furnish the doctor's garden and yard of growing plants and shrubs.

Theodore Dickman and son, Ellsworth Dickman, of Covington, Ky., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Smith on Peninsula drive. They leave Monday on their return home, Miss Grace Smith, Mr. Dickman's niece, accompanying them for several months' visit.

Miss Marguerite Freeman, who has been taking a three week's vacation with her parents at Pinehurst, leaves Friday on her return to St. Augustine.

Miss Odessa Blackman, of Macon, Ga., is visiting Mrs. Stephens in the Freeman cottage.

Mrs. J. Lee Conover, of Jacksonville, is visiting her mother and other members of the family at Lone Bay and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G L. Johnson at Seabreeze.

Attorney G. K. Broome and party of five from Gainesville arrived Wednesday and are at the White house for a week's stay.

Miss Lucile Johnson enjoyed a birthday surprise party in the company of a number of her young friends last Thursday evening, at her home on the corner of Seabreeze avenue and Coates street. Following a theater party at the Lyric, the young people were invited to the ice cream parlors where ice cream and a big birthday cake presented by Mrs. Oyama featured in the success of the occasion.

Mrs. L. J. Willis, bookkeeper for the Daytona Beach pharmacy, came down from Jacksonville Saturday and remained over until Monday, when she returned to the city where Mr. Willis is under treatment.

An old time ice cream social is being planned by the J. N. Gamble chapter of the Epworth League to take place next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews and Miss Julia Chapman, Orlando contingent, came over on the morning of the Fourth for seveay days' stay on the beach, and were guests of the Breakers while here. They returned home Wednesday morning.

The following party of recent arrivals from Gainesville are located for the month at Ocean Spray, Mrs. Rosalie Strunk and three children and her mother, Mrs. Wimberly, and Mrs. Kelly and two children.

Mrs. Cowart, of Seville, is spending a couple of weeks or more on the beach and at Daytona visiting her daughters, Mrs. Branch and Mesdames Livingston and Butler.

Mrs. S. F. Curr, of Archer, is guest at the Daytona Beach hotel this week.

J. F. Llewellyn, who fell from a scaffold at the Shanks' building, Daytona, one day last week, is still suffering from the effects of his fall, although he is getting around by the use of crutches.

Mrs. Varnness and granddaughter, of Monticello, arrived this week and are located at the Harroun apartment house.

Mr. Bothamy and family arrived this week from the interior and are occupying the Keating house on the corner of Seabreeze and Ocean avenues.

Mrs. C. G. Hendricks, a popular guest at the Seaside Inn, and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Atkins were among the well known Daytonians who dined at the Seaside Inn on the evening of the Fourth.

Colonel and Mrs. MacWilliams and Judge Perkins, of St. Augustine, came in from the Ancient City Saturday afternoon with a party of eight to spend the week end at the Seaside Inn.

Mrs. W. W. Wilder, who has been ill for some time, was brought home from Bohannon's hospital Monday afternoon.

The following party from DuPont were at the Oyama: G. M. Mann, Mrs. L. M. Minick, Mrs. M. E. Freizer and two children.

G. Fleischman, Jr., of Baltimore, and friend, Martin Freeman, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., joined Mr. Fleischman's mother at Ocean Villa Sunday for a month's visit. Mr. Freeman is a leading politician of his section of the country.

Misses Dorothy and Mary Keefer, of DeLand, returned to that city Monday after enjoying the Fourth as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Eberhart on the beach.

Captain Snow came over from Palatka Saturday and is a guest at the Seaside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Willson left Sunday for Binghampton, N. Y., their home town, to spend a couple of months.

CORONER'S JURY SAYS PAINTER DEATH WAS PURELY ACCIDENTAL

EVIDENCE OF EYE-WITNESSES SHOWED FORMER FERTILIZER KING TRIED TO SAVE HIMSELF FROM DROWNING.

That the late Edward Okie Painter, who was one of the most influential business men of Jacksonville and known as the "fertilizer king," came to his death by accidental drowning, was the unanimous verdict reached Tuesday by the six members of the coroner's jury in the case.

A number of witnesses gave strong evidence to the fact that E. O. Painter on the morning of May 22, while suffering from a sudden attack of nausea, fell from the ferry boat on which he was crossing the river while on his way to his plant in South Jacksonville.

The principal witnesses at the inquest were George W. Parkhill and Dr. N. A. Upchurch. Mr. Parkhill was with E. O. Painter on the ferry boat, and was within a few feet of Painter when he fell from the stern of the boat into the St. Johns river.

Mr. Parker stated that Painter made every effort to swim, and stated that he was still attempting to save himself when the launch Wild Rose, which hastened to the rescue of the struggling man obstructed his view.

The testimony of Mr. Parkhill was also to the effect that Painter, a few moments before being seized with a severe coughing spell that caused him to lose his balance and fall into the water, had discussed with him certain plans in connection with matters pertaining to municipal docks, and, as a dock commissioner, had stated that he would like to see his plans in this respect realized.

The witness spoke as though Painter had acted as a man who had made plans for the future and who had every reason to desire to witness their maturity.

Dr. N. B. Upchurch testified to the fact that he had examined the body of E. O. Painter, and made the statement that sufficient water was found in the stomach and in the lungs to have caused death by drowning. Dr. Upchurch also read, by request, the official report of the analysis made of the viscera of E. O. Painter and explained the technical terms of the report to the jury.

Several other witnesses were called to the stand by Justice Charles D. Abbott, the coroner in the case. The testimony of all the witnesses pointed to the fact that Painter had made every effort to save himself from drowning.

After the taking of the testimony and the full interrogation of all of the witnesses, the jury submitted the verdict which was unanimous to the effect that E. O. Painter met death by accidental drowning.

Had His Uses.

A gentleman, generous in his contributions for church purposes, but not regular in attendance at public worship, was described by a clergyman as being "not exactly a pillar of the church, but a kind of flying buttress, supporting it from the outside."

Wise Advice.

Let every dawn of morning be to you as the beginning of life, and every setting sun be to you as its close; then let every one of these short lives leave its sure record of some kindly thing done for others, some goodly strength or knowledge gained for yourselves.—John Ruskin.

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[RE]AL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS ALL OVER VOLUSIA COUNTY

[W]ARRANTY DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS RECORDED IN OFFICE OF CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT.

During the past week the follow[in]g instruments affecting property in [Vol]usia county have been recorded [in] the office of the clerk of the cir[cui]t court the transfers being report[ed] especially for this paper by The [Ab]stract company:

[Wa]rranty Deeds—

Walter B. Burgess and Hattie Bur[ges]s to John Morgan Snow, SW¼ of [S]E¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 10, Twp. 17, R.

Thos. J Murray and Eliza Murray [to] Ernest Lackowitz, lots 6, 7, and [..] blk. 3, Anderson sub. in New Smyr[na].

Louis E. Field and Mabel M. Field [to] H. G. Short, lot 4, blk. 4, Walts' [sec]ond add. to DeLand, located on W. [sid]e of Woodland boulevard.

Annie S. Colcord and Benj. F. Col[co]rd, to Maggie M. Baker, lot 2, blk. [..] Winnemissett Park.

H. A. Tanner and Ellen B. Tanner [to] Walter J. Harris, lot 3, E 8 ft. of [lot] 4, and all of lot 6, Hammond's sub. [of] lot 1, blk 11, Howry's DeLand.

Rachael W. Smith and John C. [Sm]ith to Norno DeRan, being all of [lot] 18, blk. A, which is a sub. of blk. [..], Lake Helen.

Bertha K. Smith to W D. Oliver, [lot] 11, blk. 17, Bertha K. Smith re-sub. [of] blks 17, 18, 21, 22, 23 and 26, [tow]n of Memento.

Mollie H. Shropshire and W. R [Shr]opshire to Cornelia V Barnes et [al] part lot 3, Sec. 29, Twp. 16, R. 30.

John M. Fuquay and Mary E. Fu[qua]y to Dana F. Fuquay, W½ of lot [..] blk. 13, Seabreeze.

Mary Belle Price and Jos. D. Price [to] George Butler Smith, land in Sec. [..] Twp. 14, R. 32.

Willie Williams and Laura Wil[lia]ms to Alex. Watson, lots 3 and 4, [..] by Williams of property lying W. [of] Tomoka road and north of North [..] and near the City of Daytona.

[Al]ice Hunter to Augustus Woodson, [lot] 19, blk. 4, of platted sub. within [..]ond, known as La Vega.

[Sid]ney J. Marshall and Cora Belle [Mar]shall to The Gould-Wootten com[pany], lot 8, blk. 4, Walts' second add. [to] DeLand.

[Th]os. H. Keating and Augusta Keat[ing t]o John N. Pickett lot 3, blk. 13, [..] & Stewart's add. to Daytona, [..]n, being a sub. of portion of lot [..], Sec. 4, Twp. 15, R. 33, also E. 50 [ft.] W. 150 ft. of lot 18, blk. 12, sub. [Se]abreeze in Sec. 4, Twp. 15, R.

[..] C. Watts and D. Ethel Watts to [..] Short, N. 60 ft. of lot 5, blk. 2, [..]ington's sub. of lot 3, blk. 15, [DeL]and.

[Ea]rl E. Johnson to E. W. Johnson, [..], redivision of lots 4 and 5, blk. [..] sub. of lot 5, blk. 15, DeLand, said [..], lying on W. side of Palmetto [st]reet.

[Em]ma Nash and W. G. Nash to A. Harper, lot 3, blk. 51, Mason & [Cole]man's add. to Daytona, Florida.

[..] S. May and Roxanna May to Mag[gie] M. Baker, lots 5 and 6, 7 and 8, [..]'s sub. of blk. 94, and S. 170 ft. [of b]lk. 87, corporation plat of City of [DeL]and.

[Ma]ggie M. Baker and Thos. J. Ba[ker] to Frances A. Harris. lots 1 and [..] blk. 10, Winnemissett Park.

[..] W. Gould, Mabel H. Gould, Fran[..] Wotten and Celia Wootten, to G. [..] Albertson, blk. 180, City of De[Lan]d.

[Sa]muel C. Sellers to Matthew B. [..]ers, all of lots 1 and 2, Sec. 27, [Tw]p. 15, R. 33.

[Eu]nice W. Baxter to Herbert H. [Bax]ter, S¾ of E½ of SE¼ of NE¼, [and] SW¼ of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. [..] Twp. 17, R. 30.

[Th]os. O. Hall and Adalaide M. Hall [..]l. to Jas. F. Lynch, being part of [..], Sec. 29, Twp 16, R 30.

[Is]aac Robinson and Adaline Robin[son] et al. to Merritt F Robinson, SW [..] S¾ of lot 5, Sec. 1, Twp. 18. R.

[..]a E. Woodbury to Herbert A. [..]person, lot 13, Assessor's sub. of [..] Smith homestead in lots 4 and [..], Sec. 22, Twp. 14, R. 32.

[..] C. McCullough and Essie McCul[lough] et al. to Howard G. Putnam, [..] NE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 7, Twp. [..] R. 35; otherwise described as N. [..]1-3 ft. of E. 627 ft of S. 416 ft. [of] NE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 7, of Twp. 19, [R. 3]5.

[Ma]rtha J. Pacetti to Walter C. [..]el beg. at stone monument at the [..] cor of Mosquito lighthouse reser[vati]on in Sec. 37, Twp. 16, R. 34, [the]nce from said monument and fol[lowin]g the westerly line of said res[ervat]ion N. 12 degrees, E. 254.8 ft. to [..] in Theodore Rhoads S line, [the]nce following said S. line S 74 de[grees] 30 minutes W. 510.8 ft, thence S [..] degrees 30 minutes W. 363 ft. to [Hali]fax river, thence along the north[..] shore of same S. 73 degrees 30 [minut]es E. 522 ft.; thence N. 27 de[grees] 30 minutes E. 333 ft. to point [in] line of aforesaid lighthouse res[ervat]ion; thence along last mentioned [..] N. 77 degrees W. 41 ft. to afore[said] stone monument and place of be[ginni]ng.

[..] W. Gould, Mabel H. Gould et al. [..] V. Albertson, blk. 208, City of [DeL]and.

[..] C. Howe to Walter Roush, [..] Sec. 13, Twp. 17, R. 32, in part [..] 8 and 9, S. of F. E. C. Ry., [..] Currier's allotment.

[..] Ellsworth to F. E. C. [Ry. Co.], a strip of land 100 ft. wide, [..] ft. [..] side of center [line] of said F. E. C. Ry. as located [and] constructed through, over and [across] the following described lands: [..] NW¼ of Sec. 36, Twp. 19, R. [..]

[..] Parsons Morse and [..] to F. E. C. [Ry. Co.], a strip [..] ft. wide, being 50 ft. on each [side of] center line of said F. E. C.

Ry. as located and constructed through, over and across the following described lands: N½ of NW¼ of Sec. 36, Twp. 19, R. 33.

Ernest O. Ellsworth to F. E. C. Ry. Co., a strip of land 100 ft wide, being 50 ft. on each side of center line of F. E. C. Ry. as located and constructed through, over and across the following described lands: N½ of NW ¼ of Sec. 36, Tp. 19, R. 33.

Connecticut Trust & Safe Deposit Co., to Chas. McNary, an undivided ½ interest in and to lot 6, blk. 2, sub. of Ormond, known as La Vega.

Quitclaim Deeds—

Lillian Blanche Page to Eunice W. Baxter, SW¼ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; S¾ of E½ of SE¼ of NE¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; lot 7, W. of NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30, being part of the estate of Hiram Waters.

John R. Waters to Eunice W. Baxter, SW¼ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; S¾ of E½ of SE¼ of NE¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; lot 7, W. of NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30.

Allen M. Waters to Eunice W. Baxter, SW¼ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; S¾ of E½ of SE¼ of NE¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; lot 7 W. of NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30, being part of Hiram Waters estate.

Bernice Church to Eunice W. Baxter, SW¼ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; S¾ of E½ of SE¼ of NE¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; lot 7, W. of NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30, being part of estate of Hiram Waters.

May Hoyt to Eunice W. Baxter, SW¼ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; S¾ of E½ of SE¼ of NE¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; lot 7, W. of NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R 30, being part of estate of Hiram Waters.

Silas E. Waters to Eunice W. Baxter, SW¼ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; S¾ of E½ of SE¼ of NE¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30; lot 7, sub. W. of NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 17, R. 30, being part of estate of Hiram Waters.

E J. Barber and J. D. Barber to L. H. Barber, NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 21, Twp. 15, R. 29.

Agreement for Deed—

Thos. R. Spear to G. F. Nasworthy, S. 135 ft of lot 6, and E. 16 2-3 ft. of lot 7, blk 13, Howry's sub. part Sec 16 and 17, Twp 17, R. 30; also S. 43 ft lot 5, blk. 13, Howry's sub; also S. 43 ft. of W. 55 ft. of lot 4, blk. 13.

BOOK CHANGES WILL COST SCHOOL PATRONS $1,500

COPIES OF CONTRACTS SUPPOSED TO EXIST BETWEEN COUNTY BOARD AND PUBLISHERS CANNOT BE FOUND.

That patrons of the schools of Volusia county may be compelled to buy new books now seems probable. The legislature just adjourned passed a concurrent resolution calling upon the attorney general to examine all existing contracts betwen the various county boards of public instruction and the book publishers made prior to the enactment of the law requiring the use of uniform text books throughout the state.

It seems from the correspondence on file in the office of Superintendent Sheppard that a contract was entered into with the American Book company for a term of five years from September 1910, but the contract cannot be located. The book publishers are unable to find their copy of the contract but they feel certain that one exists.

If the contract cannot be found Chapter 6178 of the Laws of Florida enacted in '1911 will require the board of public instruction of Volusia county to adopt the use of books prescribed by that act, which is known as the uniform text book law.

Superintendent C. R. M. Sheppard states that the change, if required, will cost the patrons of the schools of this county in the neighborhood of $1500.

JUDGE PERKINS SENT SOUTH BY GOVERNOR TO TRY CASE

ORDERED TO SIT AT TRIAL IN DADE COUNTY OF WHITE MAN ACCUSED OF ASSAULTING AGED WOMAN.

Judge James W. Perkins, judge of the Seventh circuit of DeLand, went to Miami Wednesday to preside at the trial of Andrew Daly, the white man accused of assaulting an aged white woman at Progresso last Thursday a week. The grand jury began its deliberations yesterday.

Judge Perkins was designated by Governor Trammell to try the case in Dade county because of the serious illness of Judge Bethel, which made it impossible for him to preside at the trial.

The prisoner narrowly escaped lynching after the alleged assault, but he was taken in charge by officers and hurried to the jail in Miami, where he has been kept safely since. A special term of the circuit court, with Judge Perkins to preside, was called to try the case immediately.

Old Trick.

[..]—"My dear, I can't get this [..] of [..] long sight." He—"Oh, [..] give me hope enough and I'll hang [..]"

COUNTY BOARD GIVES CASH TO BOOST INLET PROPOSITION

INDICATIONS ARE ROSE BAY FILL ON COAST ROAD WILL SOON BE HELD BY SOLID CEMENT SEAWALL.

By ordering an appropriation of $200 to help defray the expenses of the committee to be sent by the New Smyrna board of trade and Central Florida Deep Waterways association to Washington this month, the Volusia county board of commissioners has gone on record as favoring the proposition to open Mosquito inlet to deep sea navigation, and as being willing to do what is possible to make a favorable showing before the board of army engineers at the hearing July 26th

This action by the board of county commissioners was taken at the regular monthly meeting this week, following the reading of a written request for an appropriation from Secretary Harry Hamilton. Some objection to the appropriation was made because, it is contended, there is no law in this state authorizing boards of county commissioners to appropriate money for publicity purposes, but every member of the board appeared to be favorable to the project of deepening the inlet and the appropriation was made

Cement Seawall at Rose Bay—

Plans and specifications for a seawall on both sides of the Rose Bay fill on the Daytona-New Smyrna road were presented to the commissioners by Commissioner Tom Murray of New Smyrna and the same were accompanied by a bid from one cement contractor to do the work according to those specifications.

Every member of the county board seemed favorable to the building of the cement seawall at this place, but it was decided to make a more thorough investigation of conditions at this place and have another set of plans and specifications prepared, calling for a double row of palmetto piling on which to place the seawall, if these are needed as supports. The matter was referred to Commissioners Murray and Maley and Road Superintendent Bradshaw for a further investigation and with instructions to report at the next meeting of the board.

The plans call for a seawall something over 1,000 feet in length and four feet high, with four cement bridge abutments to support the two bridges

To Reduce Danger at Curve—

Acting on a petition signed by a large number of citizens of DeLand and Orange City asking that at least a portion of the dangerous curve at the Taylor place on the DeLand-Orange City road be cut away, the county board instructed Road Superintendent Bradshaw to take immediate steps to reduce the danger at this point.

This agitation has resulted from a serious automobile accident at this curve recently, in which a woman was badly hurt. Superintendent Bradshaw gave as his opinion the best thing to do in this instance is to cut down a portion of the hill at the east side of the curve and widen the road bed on the other side, to give plenty of room for automobiles to swing out in passing around the curve. Commissioner Fisher will act with Superintendent Bradshaw in making the necessary changes at this curve

Bonds for Deputy Sheriffs—

A new law passed by the last state legislature required that all deputy sheriffs shall be bonded and the bonds of a number of the deputy sheriffs of Volusia county were presented and approved at this meeting of the county board. Among these were the bonds of E. P. Johnson of Port Orange, Charles Jones of Ormond, T. O. Milton of Daytona, J. T. Brooke of New Smyrna, J. R. Davis of Ormond, E. T. Gross and W L. Scott of DeLand.

The notary bonds of R. L. Smith, C. G. Smith and E. Williams were approved; the rifle bond of A. O. Botts was approved, and the revolver bonds of Hiram Ashley and S. D. Clifton were approved.

Bridge Needs Attention—

Because complaint has been made of the condition of the bridge over Spruce creek on the New Smyrna-Indian Springs road, the county board ordered Road Superintendent Bradshaw to investigate the condition of the structure and make the necessary repairs at once.

No Tax Money for Port Orange—

In a communication to the county board, the town council of Port Orange asked that the road tax money to which that town is entitled be turned over to the town for immediate use but the advice of the county attorney was that the town is not entitled to any road tax appropriation and the communication was referred to him for answer.

NIFTY BORDER.

The Daytona Gazette-News and the New Smyrna News both celebrated the Fourth in gay style by appearing with a patriotic border on the first page printed in red. And it was right nifty and showed up well, too.—St. Augustine Record.

Might Be His Best.

An old reprobate of seventy protested, with outstretched hands, to Justice Hawkins against a sentence of 20 years' penal servitude, or "slavery," as his severe, but upright, lordship loved to call it. "Oh, my lord, my lord, I can never do it." "Never mind," came the answer. "Never mind, do [as much as you can]."

DIRECTORY OF COUNTY OFFICIALS

Judge Circuit Court....Jas. W. Perkins
Clerk Circuit Court........E. D. Jordan
Tax Assessor..................E. E. Wilson
Tax Collector..................D. P. Smith
New Smyrna
Treasurer.......................J. J. Vinzant
Sheriff..............................R. L. Smith
County Judge..........J. Lee McCrory
Judge Criminal Court........Bert Fish
Solicitor Criminal Court.....R. P. Hamlin
Clerk Criminal Court....C. H. Baguley
County Commissioners—
Geo. W. Fisher, Chairman...DeLand
William Jackson...............Daytona
T. J. Murray.................New Smyrna
LeRoy Harden.................Orange City
J. E. Cade..........................Emporia
County School Board—
C. R. M. Sheppard, Superintendent
Geo. F. Crouch, Chairman...Daytona
E. M. Woolwine...................Seville
B. E. Prevatt.......................DeLand

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT SHOWS TOTAL OF $144,089.15

STATEMENT OF D. P. SMITH PRESENTED TO THE COUNTY BOARD AT MEETING THIS WEEK AND ACCEPTED.

Showing a total of $144,089 15 in taxes collected in Volusia county during the year 1912, the annual report of Tax Collector D. P. Smith, of New Smyrna, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners at the regular meeting this week and accepted by the commissioners final settlement being made between the board and the tax collector.

The report of the tax collector shows that the heaviest collection of occupation licenses was made during the month of October, with a total of $1,48350 The largest amount collected for automobile licenses in any one month was in January, with a total of $3,823; December shows the next heaviest collection of auto licenses with $1,964.

The taxes paid by the Florida East Coast railroad in this county amounted to $12,739 51, with an item of $223.75 added for Maytown. The taxes of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad in Volusia county for the year amounted to $6,203.44.

STOLE BATTERIES FROM CROSSING; GOT FIVE YEARS

WILLING TO TAKE SENTENCE OF TEN YEARS IN LIEU OF THIRTY, BUT JUDGE FISH WAS LENIENT.

James Newall, a negro who came to Daytona with the Johnny Jones carnival a couple of years ago, has ever since his arrival had the reputation of being able to make various articles not of his ownership, stick to the inside of his hand. But Newall met his Waterloo when he purloined the batteries from the electric bell at the South street railroad crossing in Daytona on the Fourth. He also carried along some articles from the home of Miles Revels on the DeLand-Daytona road the same day, and, as a consequence, visited Judge Bert Fish in the criminal court of record at DeLand Monday. He felt sorry for his sins and entered a plea of guilty.

"Dey sur' was nice, shiny boxes, Jedge, and I jes' couldn't help but take 'em, Jedge, but honest I didn't think the railroad needed 'em, so I jes' took 'em, Jedge, an' I guess I'm guilty."

Judge Fish informed Newall that under the law he could impose sentences of 30 years in the penitentiary for his offenses, and asked the negro what he thought would be right as a compromise. The negro suggested 10 years, but the judge let him off with half that term. Newall is considered a slick negro and court house officials predict that his stay in the penitentiary will be of short duration.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY TO BUILD FROM METROPOLIS TO DAYTONA

WORK TO COMMENCE THIS MONTH BETWEEN JACKSONVILLE AND ST. AUGUSTINE—THEN ON TO DAYTONA.

According to T. R. Osmond, one of the chief promoters, Daytona will within a year or so be connected with Jacksonville and St. Augustine by an electric railway.

Mr. Osmond has just returned to St. Augustine from a business trip to Canada and he reports that work on the construction of an electric line between Jacksonville and St. Augustine will commence immediately.

While in Canada Mr. Osmond consulted with most of the financiers who are backing this enterprise in connection with a number of St. Augustine business men, and he states that ample financial support is available to successfully launch the interurban line as projected and even for extension.

One of the heaviest financial backers of the line will arrive in St. Augustine this week, and upon his arrival plans will immediately be perfected for early action and if nothing unforeseen happens construction work will begin by the middle of the month.

It is proposed to commence building at South Jacksonville, and then work south to St. Augustine, and thence on to Daytona. Mr. Osmond is confident that all preliminary plans are now perfect, the enterprise fully financed, and that it will be pushed to a successful issue without further delay.

Stretching Tight Shoes.

Tight shoes may be stretched by filling them half full of oats, dampened with water. Plug the top of the shoes with paper, the dampness will soften the leather and swell the oats, stretching the shoes. Let the oats remain until thoroughly dry.

POULTRY FOR SALE

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IMPROVEMENTS TO BE MADE IN MANY SCHOOL BUILDINGS

COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD TAKING ADVANTAGE OF VACATION SEASON TO REPAIR AND BUILD STRUCTURES.

Public school buildings in Volusia county will receive considerable attention from the county school board this month, some new buildings will be erected and a number of others will be changed, improved and enlarged, according to actions taken at the regular monthly meeting of the county school board at the county seat this week.

At this session, the plans and specifications for the new primary department building to be erected at Seabreeze were accepted by the board and the contract for the construction of the building was awarded to H. K. Crawford for the sum of $1,843. The building is to be completed and ready for use at the beginning of the next school term.

Alterations and improvements in the New Smyrna public school building have been asked for by the local board of trustees and these improvements were referred to Chairman Crouch of the county board to make an investigation and see what changes and improvements were needed.

The request for a new school building at Ariel was granted and the size of the new building was placed at 20x28 feet The matter of drawing plans and specifications, determining the price of the structure and its location was referred to Chairman Crouch

The contract for repairs to the Barberville school building was awarded to A. Phillips for $225, the local trustees to have supervision of the repairs and the work to be accepted on behalf of the county board by Commissioner Woolwine.

Citizens of Port Orange have asked the board for repairs to the public school building in that town and this matter was referred to Chairman Crouch with power to act.

The Osteen school board has asked for permission to raise the roof of the public school building to change it into a two-story structure and give space for a Woodmen hall on the second floor and this permission was granted by the county board.

An appropriation was granted by the county board to pay for the labor in painting the Enterprise school house, the material to be furnished by the local board of trustees.

A report was received by the board that the election in Port Orange on the question of levying a three-mill school tax has carried for the three-mill tax by 11 to 4.

Teachers Appointed—

The following teachers, after being recommended by the local trustees, were appointed Monday evening:

New Smyrna—Susie Morgan, assistant high school; Bessie May Sowell, assistant high school; Lorena Chapman, fourth grade.

Barberville—B. A. Hammond.

McGlon—Clara Clifton (conditionally).

Port Orange—J. A. Bayless, principal; Mabel Daniels, first assistant; Mabel Carter, second assistant.

Oak Hill—T. H. Lutes.

Enterprise—G. W. Mills, principal; Emma A. Baker, assistant.

Orange City—Olive Martin, assistant.

Osteen—Maggie Crouch, principal; Laura Cater, assistant

Glencoe—Frankie May Martin.

Tomoka—H. F. Ditson.

Volusia—Mamie L. Rogers.

Rogers—Mettie Ditson.

Indian Springs—Leona Colson (conditional).

Tiger Bay—Mary Rosborough.

DeLeon Springs — Edna Whitcombe, principal; Orvis Pursell, assistant.

Pierson—William B. Taylor, principal.

Seabreeze—Temperance Vaughn, assistant high school.

Glenwood—Mary Russell.

Kingston—Charles A. Nixon, principal; Bessie Peacock, first assistant; Winnie Kingston, primary.

Ariel—Laura Murray.

Eldora—Lillian Seabloom.

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New Smyrna—L. Watteman, principal; Callie D. Barnett, assistant.

Orange City—Leota King, assistant.

Seville—[..] Brockington.

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the vacancy caused by the death of A. Budgen.

September 8 and 22 were set as the opening dates for all schools for the coming year unless otherwise specified and trustees and supervisors will be requested to advise the superintendent which date they select for the opening of the respective schools.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Two Trespass Suits—

Two trespass suits with the same defendant in each were instituted this week. Lester Granger is the defendant and Ella Fuller and Agnes L. Gebert plaintiffs

Marriage Licenses Issued—

Marriage licenses have recently been issued by Judge J. Lee McCrory to Van Smith and Cornelia Roy; F. W. Johnson and Miss M. A. Peterson; Grant E. Gregor and Leslie A. Simpkins.

New Chancery Suits—

Chancery suits have been started in the office of the clerk of the circuit court recently as follows: Emma Gross vs. Will Gross; Alice W. Palmer vs Florida Lake George Land company, foreclosure; George E. Spear vs G F Nasworthy, foreclosure; Emma Dixon vs. Robert Dixon, divorce.

Will of Julia Lockowitz Filed—

The last will and testament of Mrs. Julia Lockowitz, late of New Smyrna, was filed in the office of the county judge this week, and Ernest Lockowitz, a son of the deceased, appointed as administrator with the will annexed Under the terms of the will, Ernest Lockowitz receives a bequest of $2,000, and the balance of the property goes to the husband, Max Lockowitz.

The will of the late Major E. F. Britton, of Seabreese, which was filed for record some time ago, was admitted to probate Monday.

Orders Signed by Judge Perkins—

Judge Perkins signed an order this week overruling a demurrer in the case of R. D. McDonald vs Gertrude E. Mann, and entered an order for dismissal in the case of Mellie G. Bedell vs. Emerson Bedell. The court also entered an order naming Murray Sams as special master to make the sale of certain property in a mortgage foreclosure suit of Fitzgerald & Oates vs. Willie Lee. F. W. Pope was the master, but owing to illness and absence from the state Mr. Sams was appointed in his place.

Sheriff May Sell Ball Park—

That the Daytona ball park, now owned by a negro, Harrison Thompson, may change ownership soon, now seems probable. By virtue of a judgment entered in the circuit court of Duval county, wherein the Merchants Broom company, was plaintiff, Sheriff Smith has levied upon and will sell on the first Monday in August several lots in Daytona as the property of Harrison Thompson, who was defendant in the suit. Included in the levy is the Daytona ball park and unless the judgment is paid before the 7th of August the property will be sold to the highest bidder.

Two Judicial Sales Monday—

Two judicial sales were held at the front dor of the DeLand courthouse Monday both sales being the outcome of mortgage foreclosures. One was in the case of Fitzgerald & Oates vs. Willie Lee and affected part of the south half of lot 4, block 31, Hodgeman's, Daytona.

The second sale was in the case of Eliza Hadley vs. S. F. Hadley and his wife, Rosa L. Hadley. The property involved is lots G, H, K, L, M, N, R and S, resubdivision of lots 31 and 36 inclusive of Chambers & Dunn's subdivision of the W½ of SE¼ of NE¼, section 16, township 17, range 30, in the city of DeLand.

Easy to Fix Situation.

Show Girl (bursting into manager's office)—"Quick! There's a fire behind the scenes, the gang is rushing about like mad and screaming their heads off. Looks like a panic. What will we do?" Manager—"Do? Ring up the curtain, of course, and let the [..]"

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"DEEP WATER," Our Slogan.

A Kansas editor has notified the merchants of his town that he will soon be in need of a pair of sho s, a new shirt, and a sack of flour and will call for bids on these items as that is the custom of the merchants when they want four dollars worth of printing

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Up in New Smyrna they desire a mosquito inlet opened Up where I live I want a mosquito outlet opened—and then closed tightly after the pesky varmints have winged their way to where the men are less tough and bony than I am And this is no funny item eyether just straight business —Palm Beach County

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There is no better paying investment that a county or city can make than the building of handsome and commodious school houses One of the first questions asked by inquiring strangers from abroad in regard to the attractions of a community is about its schools and there is nothing that so quickly catches the eye of a visitor, especially if he is a man with children to be reared and educated, as large and handsome school houses The county school board of Hillsborough county did an eminently wise thing the other day when it resolved that hereafter no more wooden buildings should be erected for school houses in that county, and the board of Volusia county might well follow this example

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The movement for an adequate system of sewers in the city of New Smyrna, which was staarted at the council meeting this week, should have the hearty support of every progressive citizen in the town It is one of the most needed improvements here and the sooner the improvement comes the better it will be for the city. One of the first questions usually asked by a stranger who contemplates locating in a new town, is about the sewerage and drainage, and it is to be hoped that in the near future residents of New Smyrna can tell every enquirer that this city has one of the best systems of sewerage to be found in any city in the state

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NO MORE UNRIPE FRUIT SHIPPED FROM STATE.

The long agony is over and the green fruit law that passed the house and senate has received the governor s signature and is now on the Florida statutes

The green fruit law provides the standard by which the law may be enforced and this standard is that which was set up by the three different fruit conventions and acted on last spring

It provides that no citrus fruit shall be shipped before November 5th, unless it can be shown a content of acid not in excess of 1 30 for oranges and 1 75 for grapefruit After November 5th there is no restriction except that fruit must show one half color on the trees, but will require no acid test The inference is that after that date the fruit will be ripe enough for shipment

Last August, at the meeting at Gainesville, the standard for oranges set by the convention and which the agricultural department tried to enforce through without strict legal authority, was 1 25 for oranges and no standard fixed for grapefruit, the on y restriction being made that no fruit should move before the first day of October

The Florida Citrus Exchange has been the principal factor in passing the new law, while among those opposing the bill were some of the largest growers and shippers in the state. The opposition is principally from the growers in some of the most southern counties who claim that their fruit matures earlier than the fruit further north, and in this season the fruit will be fit for consumption by October 1st, and in some sections earlier than that date

There is no doubt that the growers are evenly divided in their opinions regarding the law, and the outcome will be watched with interest by all who are interested in the citrus fruit industry If the law does not work out satisfactory this season no doubt steps will be taken next year to have it annulled

Hillsborough county is after 65 miles of brick roads extending to all directions and touching all important communities An election to bond the county for $1,000,000 is to be held July 29th.

Lake Helen

LAKE HELEN, July 9 —Mr McDonald of Jacksonville has taken Guy Shannonhouse's place as filer at the Bond sawmill Mr Shannonhouse with his family has gone to Charlotte S C, to visit relatives

Prof Buchanan has been appointed to take charge of the school here He comes highly recommended and a hearty welcome awaits him and his wife when they arrive

Willie Sheppard has returned from Daytona, where he spent the Fourth

Mr and Mrs Jenkins left Tuesday for Jacksonville, where Mrs Jenkins will have her eyes treated

Rev J G Merrill writes back from Brookline, Mass, that the weather is intensely hot there and he wishes he was back in Lake Helen The nights are always cool and pleasant here

S. McCrory and family are back in Lake Helen for a visit with Mrs McCrory's parents

Mayor W H Gillette is communicating with a number of parties in the north in an effort to procure homes for them in Lake Helen This is a good prospect for contractors

Rev J G Merrill, the Congregational minister of Lake Helen, will preach August 31 in New York City in the Church of the Stranger

C H Smith, erecting engineer for Frick & Co., has returned to Lake Helen for a visit with his family Mr Smith has just completed an ice plant at Kingston, S C, and will shortly go to St Petersburg to look after the construction of another plant Mr. Smith expects to make Lake Helen his headquarters for the present, as he has been assigned to southern territory

L M Wright superintendent of the municipal electric light and ice plant, is building an addition to his house

Maynard Bond has returned from Willoughby, Ohio

Mrs Kelsey is improving the appearance of her home with the application of a coat of paint

The output of the ice plant is increasing daily and the waterworks will be ready as soon as the pipes are laid in the streets

The appearance of the streets has been greatly improved by the trimming of the oak trees, one of the beautiful features of Lake Helen

Mrs. Bond Passes Away—

The sad news reaches us from Willoughby O, of the death of Mrs E W Bond, wife of the president of the Bond Lumber company She has been ill for some time, but the news of her demise was nevertheless a great shock to the community here The family has the sympathy of a host of friends

Fourth Was Quiet Day—

The Fourth of July was celebrated in a quiet way in Lake Helen The two churches held a picnic in the city park and a game of baseball was played between the married and single men The score was 24 to 6 in favor of the married men, of course

Literary Society Meets—

The Literary society of Lake Helen met with Miss Russell Monday evening the subject discussed being "Foreign Countries," each member reading a paper The principal feature of the evening was a guessing contest on the alphabet, Miss Margery Mace winning first prise

Anniversary Observed—

The Fourth of July was the 20th anniversity of the marriage of Mr and Mrs J R Hurst and Mrs W H Gillette gave a luncheon in honor of the couple Mrs Gillette proved herself a very entertaining hostess and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all present

Birthday Remembered—

J R Hurst passed his 76th mile stone on life's journey last Sunday and the occasion was celebrated in the way of a fine spread to a few of his old friends. Mr Hurst is one of the pioneers of Lake Helen and has many friends here.

Capt. Urquart Is Honored—

Capt. W. W. Urqhart was the recipient of a fine ovation from G. W Tubbs in the church of the Stranger in New York City recently in remembrance of Mr. Urqhart's 75th anniversary. The ovation was in the form of a poem entitled "Ship Ahoy," written by Mr. Tubbs, who is in his 90th year. Mr. Tubbs is the father of Mrs. J. R. Hurst and spent a month here this spring.

To Improve City Park—

The town council held its regular meeting Monday evening with John Day in the chair. After the regular routine business had been carried through the motion was made that the City park have a thorough cleaning, together with a new fence and arch gates. The natural beauty of the park makes it almost attractive place for picnics and to pass the hot afternoons A special meeting of the council has been called by the mayor for Saturday, July 12, to consider important business in connection with a number of improvements contemplated in the town.

ECHOES OF THE GOOD ROADS MOVEMENT IN THIS STATE

Because the 1913 legislature did not pass any bills favoring good roads or their building does not mean that the state is not in need of such improvements The fact that the bills as presented were radical and poorly prepared had a great deal to do with their death. No sane member of the lawmaking body could see real merit in Senator Stringer s $50,000,000 bond issue for a state-wide system of improved highways The amount was after amended to read $25 000,000, but at that the measure did not insure economical expenditures, also it did not provide for a connecting system. It left loopholes for various exigencies that would undoubtedly cause confusion and irreparable loss to the state.

The state highway commission should at least have been carried but individual members with grievances of their own caused the sudden demise of this piece of worthy legislation The consensus of opinion of those acquainted with the subject was to the effect that counties should bond and construct their own roads, always having in mind a system so that the highways would not only benefit the individual county, but seek to connect with the roads of adjoining counties

Any large corporation does not hesitate to issue bonds when in need of money to continue operations or make improvements If the company is possessed of stability and backed by capable and honest officials, investors never hesitate to purchase the bonds The buyers of the paper realize that such transactions are entirely legitimate and customary The firm gets the needed funds and the investors get the interest By the time the bonds have matured the corporation has by means of ready money managed to increase its earning capacity so that the holders of the bonds are paid at maturity with both parties satisfied The county of Osceola is in the same position Its integrity is undoubted. Its probity is such as to be the recipient of commendation Osceola is in need of improvements and does not have the ready money The county needs a system of good roads The bonds if issued could be easily sold and by the time of maturity the county would have so prospered that it would be an easy matter for the bond trustees to make payment There will be no hardship worked on the present generation and none on the coming one either Many people figure that the conditions will be the same when bonds mature as they are now Osceola county is progressing, not standing still. To increase the present tax rate would certainly work a hardship on the present generation, of that there cannot be any doubt. Suppose that you were 18 years of age and knew positively that at the age of 21 that you would come into possession of $5,000,000 If you did not have a cent at the age of 18 and had the assurance that you would get the legacy at your maturity, you would not hesitate to make a loan over the lean years Osceola county is in that position exactly The county will have increased in value in the next 20 years so that it will be child's play to pay the money back.

Economy is a much overworked word. It is something on the order of "the people" when used by a smooth politician A wise landlord will paint and repair his house every year Railroads as a rule do not permit their properties to sink into decay and uselessness Counties should not either, but some of them do. To allow Osceola's highways to remain in the present condition shows willful and contributory negligency by officials and citizens alike High taxes are alarming and disastrous to investors Bonds for public improvements are not bugaboos They are the legitimate method of getting for the present use what would be denied until some time in the future if such arrangements were not possible The citizens of Osceola county who are inimical to a bond issue for good roads are in need of some enlightenment on this important subject, and it is hoped that some Moses will appear on the scene and give out the proper information so that Osceola will rank with Dade and Duval —Kissimmee Journal

Glenwood Postmaster Resigns—

F. E. Bredow, postmaster at Glenwood, has resigned This office is now under civil service, and an examination will be held at DeLand Saturday, July 26 For the past fiscal year the compensation at this office was $303 Information may be obtained from Harry M. Getty, secretary of the examining board, or from the postmaster at Glenwood. The selection will be made from the three persons receiving the highest percentage in the examination. Applications must be properly executed and filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission at Washington at least seven days before the date of the examination.

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Statement Showing Condition Of

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New Smyrna, Florida

At the close of business June 30th, 1913

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$89,208.36	Capital	$15,000.00
Overdrafts	275.09	Surplus	5,500.00
Scrip Account, City and Co.	1,706.73	Undivided Profits	1,198.67
F. E. C. Ry. Pay Checks	139.00	Deposits	119,477.98
Land Account	1,500.00		
Furniture and Fixtures	3,700.00		
Stocks and Bonds	3,200.00		
Cash and Exchange	41,447.47		
Total	$141,176.65	Total	$141,176.65

I, Geo. L. [illegible], Cashier of the State Bank of New Smyrna, New Smyrna, Fla., do solemnly swear that the above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. L. [illegible], Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of July, 1913.

F. A. [illegible], Notary Public.

Attest:

W. R. [illegible], [illegible], J. T. [illegible], Directors.

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Surveyor R. B. F. Roper and as-[si]stants, who have been making a [su]rvey for the new railroad between [N]ew Smyrna and Maytown, to con-[ne]ct with the Maytown-Whittier line, [h]ave completed the work and return-[ed] to New Smyrna.

Mr. Roper's report has been sent to the officials of the Florida East [Co]ast railroad for inspection.

The new route as surveyed by [M]r. Roper is the shortest yet laid [ou]t for this line by about two miles [an]d runs almost on a direct line be-[tw]een New Smyrna and Maytown. [T]he distance between these two [to]wns by this route is a fraction over [..] miles. It lies through territory [wh]ich as yet is uninhabited, but Mr. [Ro]per believes it is the best route [ye]t considered for the new railroad [li]ne.

[Di]es at Sanitorium—

Mrs. A. E. Pendarvis who has b en [re]ceiving treatment at the Shelter [San]itorium died there Monday night. [Th]e body was sent Tuesday to her [ho]me in Indianola, Fla, at which [pla]ce her husband resides.

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PULPIT TOPICS

Baptist Church—

Services at the Baptist church Sunday, July 13th: morning service at 11 o'clock; evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Bible school, L. E. Amidon, superintendent, at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visitors are cordially invited.

M. E. Church, South—

Sunday School at 10 a. m., G. L. Branning, superintendent. Beg nners' class in charge of Miss Hattie Sue Brown. Preaching service at 7 30 p. m. The regular mid-week prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. J. Bell. Topic "The Church and Its Claim upon Our Love and Obedience," Eph. 4;11 16. Visitors and strangers welcome.

W. A. FISCHER, Pastor.

Congregational Church—

Services at the Congregational church Sunday. Sunday school 10 a. m. Classes for all who a tend Church service 11 o'clock, sermon topic "Two Perp'exed Men" Evening service 7 30, sermon topic "God's appeal to Manhood." All are invited to these services.

H H JONES, Pastor.

Trinity Methodist Church—

Bible school 10 o'clock, a cl ss for every age. Public worsh p and sermon by pastor 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for the morning address, "Peculiarities of Christ an Service." The services in the evening will be designed especially for the men of the community, songs will be selected by low key and the discourse will be suited to the ne ds of men, more particularly railroad men, the pastor for a number of years having been engaged in that work is in a position to realize the needs of men who follow this life.

This church is beginning to be known as the "Mens" church by reason of the large number of young and old men that at'end the services, especially the evening services.

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Hoping to form a real, sure-enough baseball league on the east coast of Florida with a pretty pennant as a prize and the scoring of percentages just as they do in the National, American and other leagues, Manager Owens of the Miami Seminole team is arranging for a conference of managers to be held at Fort Pierce Saturday of this week. He has wri ten the managers of several teams in towns a'ong the coast.

It is proposed to include Titusville, Cocoa, Eau Gallie, Fort Pierce, Stuart, West Palm Beach, Fort Lauderdale and Miami in the league Should a league be formed a regular schedule will be mapped out and games played regularly in each city and town in the league throughout the season.

INTERESTING MEETING OF THE LOCAL W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. J. Westall with an unusually large attendance.

A very interesting program was carried out. The flower m ss on committee made its report which was a credit to the Union, after wh ch the hostess served several delicious refreshments.

The W. C. T. U will ho'd its next regular meeting Monday, July 21, at the home of Mrs. J. R. Berry.

BOUND OVER ON CHARGE OF CARRYING WEAPON.

Arraigned before Justice of the Peace Dilzer, C M. Grice was given a preliminary hearing on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon Tuesday and bound over to the county criminal court under a bond of $200 He will answer the same charge before Judge Fish.

Justice Dilzer has announced his determination to break up the practice of "pis ol toting" in this vicinity.

Another Lyceum Contract—

Rev. J. J. Treadwell of the Trinity M. E. church has signed a contract with the Alkahest lyceum bureau of Atlanta for a course of seven lyceum attractions for this winter. All of the attractions will be given in Trinity hall, adjoining the Trinity church

The attractions are of high character and have been highly recommended Among the attractions to be brought here are the Hattie Dunaway company, the Beulah Buck female quartette, H A. Pound, lecturer, in his feature, "The Passion Play," and the DeKoven quartette. The attractions will be given at intervals of two weeks

Trinity M. E. Aid Meets—

The Ladies Aid of the Trinity M E church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs A Q. Brooks with a large number of members present, also several visitors.

Plans were laid for the putting on of a lyceum course here in the winter for the benefit of the church. Refreshments consisting of punch and two kinds of cake were served

The Ladies Aid will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. S. Walker.

Superintendent C. G. Wakely of the Northern division of the Florida East Coast railroad gave his personal attention to the handling of the trains between Jacksonville and the beach the Fourth. A number of extra trains were run to accommodate the extra crowds of people who went to the shore for the day.

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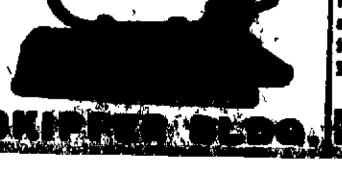

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INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY AND SPREADING OF MALARIA

Every man in Florida who permits himself to have an attack of malaria, is to a certain degree an offender against the public. True, it is not a felony, not even a misdemeanor under the law, but it is an offense because it is avoidable with proper and reasonable precautions, and it endangers the health and comfort of all others in the community.

More than this, with the proper care of malarial cases, their treatment under screens to prevent the anopheles, the malaria carrying mosquito, from becoming inoculated, the disease would soon be reduced to negligible proportions, where it would die out of itself. Then it cou d be reintroduced only by importation from other sections.

The same fact is true of some other diseases, and it may be illustrated by the matter of the tick in cattle. When this bovine infliction is so reduced that five per cent or less of the cattle in a given section are afflicted with it, the disease will die out without the aid of man or of the dipping vat.

Malaria is a direct resu't of the neglect of known and proven knowledge and the disregard of good sound medical advice. For malaria is carried from one human being to another by this particular mosqu to, and in no other way This is the only way of communicating it It can come only from a person afflicted with it, consequently, if the on'y possible source be removed, the d sease must vanish. If there were no cases of malaria in the community, it could not be carried and the mosquito would cease to be dangerous.

Malaria is present always in Florida under existing conditions Its open season, in which it is most active and virulent, begins in the early spring and it flourishes increasingly until October, or until the cool weather of the fall cripples the activity of the mosquito. The infected and infecting insect dies out largely in the winter, and the individual cases recover to a large extent from their malaria troubles, but the d sease may continue through the winter sufficiently to furnish a starting focus in the spring, and a few infected mosquitoes may find a favoring and protected shelter and survive the severity of the cold months, and be ready for business when warm weather returns.

No person may become immune to the disease through any number of recurring attacks, and he who perpetuates it by permitting h mself to have the disease, may be carele s to his own undoing and future suffering.

Medical authorities, the high st and most competent, say that malaria is an unnecessary disease, that is, it may be avoided by observing certain precautionary acts by the individual knowing that it is a germ disease, knowing by what means it is transmitted from one individual to anoth r, and knowing that this me ins—the particular mosquito—is active only in the late hours of day and night, from about 5 o'clock to daylight of the following morning, and at no other hour, or time, knowing these working hours, it becomes simply a question of keeping away from her—for the female is the dangerous insect—or of keeping her away from you. The answer is screening, screening the porch, the bedroom and living rooms and the bed itself No half-way screening, but the insect-proof kind, and it must be remembered that the smallest chance to pass such a barrier is always improved by the mosquito.

But back of this is the precaution that prevents the mosquito from becoming infected with poisonous bacteria. If every diagnosed case of malaria in Florida could be treated under or behind mosquito-proof screening, the disease in this state would or could be wiped out in three months, or it could be so reduced numerically as to be no longer a source of danger and would d'e out

And yet popular belief holds that it is an unavoidable affliction, or infliction, to which only an abiding faith in the intelligence of an all-wise Creator can reconcile us. The same Creator made it possible for a man to drown in deep water, but He does not require that man to go into the deep water. He is at perfect liberty to keep away from it. Science, which is the interpretation of divine laws, has declared that malaria is preventable, that it is an unnecessary disease, that it need not be taken by any person, that it is within the power of each to avoid it, and under certain conditions it may be made only a memory in Florida.

In the absence of enacted laws, [...] because of the unenactment of such enactment, it depends upon the individual, the aggregation of individuals that make up the state, to decide that they shall free themselves from it. The law steps in to protect the people from yellow fever, the plague and smallpox. Because malaria is less deadly than they, is that sufficient rea on why law should not interfere for their protection against it?—State Board of Health Bul'etin.

Mrs. Hawthorn of Hawthorn, Fla., mother of Mrs. Lee Rush, arrived yesterday and will remain at the home of Mrs. Rush until the latter returns. Mrs. Rush left yesterday afternoon for Marathorn where she will join her husband.

The regular meeting of the New Smyrna board of trade will be held tonight in the board of trade rooms and every member of that organization is urged to be present at the session.

NEWS AROUND THE STATE.

St. Petersburg is to have a talking moving picture show. For several days the apparatus has been in course of installation. It is stated by the manager of that playhouse that his machine will be the second installed in this state.

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The American Securities company will build a very handsome office bungalow on Main street in Duval City, which will be used by i's local representatives at that place The front will be built for a postoffice.

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At a recent meeting of the chamber of commerce in St. Augustine definite steps were taken to induce the Federal government to transform the fort reservation and the power house site, with the intervening water front, into a National park to be maintained and policed by the United States government.

MAILS AT LOCAL POSTOFFICE

MAILS CLOSE

Northbound—
9:20 a. m.; 1:40 p. m.; 7 30 p m.

Southbound—
2.10 p. m.; 5:15 p. m.; 7:30 p. m.

Westbound—
8 a. m.; 3 p. m.

MAILS ARRIVE

From North—
1:50 a. m.; 2:20 p. m.; 5.45 p. m.

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[illegible]	4,981.70	Surplus	1,500.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	Undivided Profits	46.58
[illegible]	[illegible]	Deposits	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Dividends Unpaid	1,000.00
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GOD OF THE BIBLE VS. GOD OF CREEDS

Creed Idols of Christendom More Horrible Than Idols of Heathendom, Says Pastor Russell.

The Bible Opposed to All Idols—God Must Be Known to Be Appreciated and Truly Worshiped—Misunderstandings of the Divine Plan Have Confused Us—Ignorance the Mother of Superstition—The Morning Dawns. The Shadows Flee—True Knowledge of God Will Soon Fill the Earth and Carry Blessings to All.

PASTOR RUSSELL

Madison, Wis., July 6.—The INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION have been holding a convention here for eight days closing today It has a large attendance of Bible Students from all parts Pastor Russell spoke today He took for his text the words, "The Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort."—2 Corinthians 1 3

The Pastor stated that when in India, China and Japan last year he was impressed with the intelligence of many amongst those peoples He visited their temples to ascertain the status of the worshipers Many seemed sincere, absolutely unmindful of anything except their own worship He made inquiry as to whether the idol was regarded as the god, or merely as a reminder of their god. He was assured that the idol was known to be metal, stone, etc., and was used in much the same way that Catholics use the crucifix—not as worshiping the image, but merely to assist in fixing reverence and the spirit of worship.

Our Creed Idols Worse.

Pastor Russell said that at first he felt disposed to chide the heathen for the hideous features which they give their idols But a little reflection brought him shame and confusion He perceived that the creeds of Christendom are idols, set before our mental eyes, with exactly the same hideous features as the tangible idol before the natural eyes of the heathen. Each creed shows a slightly different image of God, but all picture Him as a most atrocious character, more hideous by far than are the idols of heathendom

How could anybody make an idol that would speak such horrible things as all of our creeds portray by description? What artist could picture a God deliberating upon the creation of the human family with procreative powers, and before beginning His work planning and arranging a great place called Hell (and some say another called Purgatory), creating fire-proof devils to man these, laying up fuel to last throughout eternity, and then starting humanity, with the foreknowledge that thousands of millions would spend eternity in those horror chambers?

No heathen was ever capable of such imagination, and hence none ever pictured such a God, either in clay, metals, stone or with pen. It remained for the most cultured and civilized peoples, who had most enjoyed God's favors, to misrepresent Him most, and then to carry those misrepresentations to the heathen.

The Heathen Know It, Too.

Missionaries have indeed reached a few, said the Pastor, but their number is small; so also their intelligence. The more intelligent are agnostic Christianity has led them to doubt their own religions, but has given them nothing instead.

When some high caste natives learned that the Pastor's preaching differed from that of the missionaries they sent a committee asking him to remain longer and assuring him of audiences of the higher caste natives. They explained that they could not receive the white man's religion because it pictured a God so terrible and so unjust as to be repugnant to their minds. Their own religion taught them to be kind even to dumb brutes.

The Pastor felt obliged to apologize for all Christendom. He explained that certain parables and symbolic passages have been misunderstood; and while we had the best intentions, Satan has kept Christendom in darkness, and led us to picture in our creeds a God who was unjust, unloving, and using His Power contrary to every principle of righteousness.

He told them, further, that the dawn of the New Age is upon us, the thousand years of Christ's Reign. God's faithful people are gradually coming to a better understanding of the Bible. He urged them to cling to the Bible, and assured them that he was endeavoring to arrange so that they may get a better understanding of what the Bible really teaches.

Good Tidings to Every Nation.

Pastor Russell's visit to foreign lands was strictly in the interests of the true Gospel—"Good tidings of great joy." The Association has had sermons translated into Japanese, Korean, Chinese, and the six principal languages of India, and millions of copies are in the hands of the people. Considerable fresh interest has been aroused. People in those lands have begun to study their Bibles.

✻ STATE ✻ HAPPENINGS

News from Fair Florida Briefly Told

J. W. Loadholt of Lake Butler, because of stomach trouble, shot and killed himself.

After a two-years' struggle Brooksville has decided that cows can no longer perambulate within the sacred limits of that burg.

Marion is to have a wet-or-dry election very soon—the drys have secured a sufficient number of signatures to cause the commissioners to act.

While a mule at Arcadia was being shod he grabbed the negro holding his halter and swung him about the shop. The animal bit into the negro's leg so deeply and held his grip so strongly that iron rods had to be used to pry his jaws apart.

Beacon lights will be placed at various points on Lake Okeechobee shortly It is proposed to put one each at the mouth of the Okeechobee, Miami and North New River canals, Lake Hickpochee and on the rocks about one mile east of Observation island

H. J Joiner, of Florahome, Putnam county, has sent three cars of watermelons to Palatka this season. The last car carried 1,000 of the melons and they sold for an average price of 20c—or $200 for the lot. Still, "it doesn't pay to try to raise anything in Florida!"

An eight-acre citrus grove at Tarpon Springs the last season netted the owners $14,400. It is the Babcock grove It is declared that the record will probably not be reached again, as the trees are becoming too large that they must be "thinned out" to promote their growth.

The internal revenue receipts of Florida for the last fiscal year were $1,429,929.61, while in the month of June they reached the figure of $175,911 49. While Florida makes the best cigars, it sstands only fourth in the list as to numbers: Pennsylvania making the largest number, with New York second.

A white man named Daly criminally assaulted an aged white woman in Fort Lauderdale last week and then made his escape to the hammock The fellow was captured a few hours later and had a narrow escape from lynching at the hands of an infuriated gathering of citizens. The victim was 78 years old and was terribly abused. Daly was safely placed in jail before the crowd could kill him.

Miami has postponed the anniversary celebration on account of inability to secure low railway rates. The affair is now scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 7, 8 and 9. A round-trip fare from Jacksonville has been granted at $7.50 with other rates in proportion. On that basis the round-trip rate from West Palm Beach should be $1 50, and would be a puller for popularity.

Through the recommendation of Secretary Bryan, and urged by President Wilson as an "act of grace," congress will appropriate $6,000 to the heirs of Angelo Albano, an Italian subject who was lynched at Tampa during the cigarmakersc' strike three years ago The Italian government, having thoroughly investigated the case, suggested that this course be pursued. One other Italian was lynched at the same time, but was found to be a naturalized American.

Daytona pommeled Ashton hard and this coupled with miserable fielding on the part of New Smyrna gave Daytona an easy victory Thursday afternoon of last week, at New Smyrna.

The batting of Yarborough was the feature of the game, this lad securing no less than three of New Smyrna's four hits and was robbed of a fourth hit in the fifth when Brown made a sensational running catch.

The score follows:

Daytona	AB	R	H	E
Brown, cf	4	0	0	0
Burdick, 3b	5	1	1	0
Erickson, 2b	5	0	0	1
Baldwin, c	3	1	2	0
Heath, ss	5	2	0	0
Pollits, 1b	2	0	1	1
Hankins, rf	2	1	0	0
Livingston, lf	5	2	1	0
Porter, p	3	2	1	0
Gardner, 1b	2	1	1	0
Lastinger, p	2	0	0	0
Warner, rf	2	1	1	0
	40	11	8	2

New Smyrna	AB	R	H	E
Chilton, 1b	2	1	0	2
Yarborough, ss	4	0	3	1
Walden, 3b	2	1	0	2
Rogero, rf	4	0	1	0
Lopez, cf	3	1	0	0
Paul, c	4	1	0	1
Bryan, lf	2	0	0	0
Ashton, p	4	0	0	0
Coombs, 2b	3	0	0	1
	29	4	4	7

Summary: Two-base hit, Baldwin. Stolen bases, Yarborough, Bryan 2, Coombs. Struck out, by Porter in 6 innings, 5; by Lastinger in 3 innings, 4; by Ashton, 1. Wild pitches, Porter, Lastinger 2. Bases on balls, Porter 6, Lastinger 2. Hits, off Porter, 3; off Lastinger, 1. Umpires, [illegible] and [illegible].

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"Do you keep coffee in the bean?" "No, madam, brains."—Boston Transcript.

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The Two Schools

A Story For the Graduation Period

By KATHLEEN J. M'CURDY

When the season comes round in which the boys and the girls speak their graduating pieces to admiring audiences—their parents and relatives furnish the admiration—the boys dressed in their Sunday clothes, the girls in simple white. I canot refrain from thinking back to those days when all this was of so great moment to me. Even as schoolgirls we were looking forward to a time when we should be the mothers sending our children to school and listening to them orate on graduating day. And some of us girls had sweethearts long before we reached the high school. But there is a long step between a high school and a grammar school graduation and a still longer one between a high school and a college commencement.

My beau ideal at school was Fred Sumner. If I could win a little attention from him I was happy. If he frowned upon me I was like "sweet Alice" in the song of "Ben Bolt"—I trembled. He was the son of wealthy parents and one of the leaders in the social features of our school life. Happy was the girl who received an invitation to one of the children's parties at his father's home. I was thus honored, though I was not quite up to Fred Sumner's set, and I appreciated the honor.

There was another boy in the school who lived near me and who was of a very different type. Johnny Ryerson. Johnny's mother was a widow and in straitened circumstances. She really couldn't afford to keep Johnny at school, but she did, though as soon as he was old enough to work she needed what he could earn. Johnny studied very hard. He was obliged to study hard, because he did not learn readily. But what Johnny learned he learned thoroughly. In this he was unlike my idol, Fred Sumner, who learned so easily that he seldom paid much attention to his studies till just before examination, when he would do all his studying at once.

When Fred went away to college I was considered his best girl. He would leave me alone once in awhile to go after some other, but invariably came back to me. What it was that led him to me I don't know. I was certainly nothing of a belle, and the social standing of my family was nothing like his. Nevertheless there must have been something in me to attract him, for he certainly gave me the preference, and before he was graduated he told me "his story."

When we all got through the high school the question came up as to going to college. Girls were not so used to getting a college education then as now, and I, not having the means to carry me through without working my own way, concluded not to take a university course. Fred Sumner went to one of the large colleges, where he soon became prominent. He was elected a member of one of the most select fraternities and was altogether an all round desirable fellow.

Johnny Ryerson's mother made up her mind that her son should have a college education, and she bent her energies to that end. Q—— college was but a few miles from where we lived, and Johnny could go there and keep and eat at home. At least that's what he did, though how nobody could find out. Johnny didn't get into any of the fraternities and, in fact, took a back seat all through his college course. How could he be prominent when he never had any money to subscribe for the different affairs of his class or his college that must be paid for by subscription? Besides, he was working at something all the while. During the winter months he worked at odd jobs, though he was obliged to confine himself to such as he could do at certain times, for not being smart he was obliged to study hard in order to get through college. And even then he took rather a low stand in his class.

While John was in college I was living at home, and when he had time he used to come to see me, for we had been brought up in the same town and had always known each other. I knew very well what his mother was doing for him, how she pinched and saved and worked to get money to help her boy to get an education.

Somehow I took it into my head that there was an object of more than especial interest to John. It did not trouble me that no woman is troubled at a superfluity of lovers—but I felt sorry that I could not be reciprocate. John was not my ideal at all. My ideal was Fred Sumner. No two men could have been more different. Sumner's clothes were cut to the height of fashion, and his manners were delightful, especially to women, toward whom he was unusually deferential. John Ryerson's only were his best on all occasions, and it was very shabby. Moreover, he had no fraternity badge to pin on his breast. In other words, he was not considered of enough importance to be invited a member of a fraternity.

And yet there was something about him that I liked. I suppose it was his quality. The world, especially the college world, takes no account of integrity. Those who are on top are there because they are there, and so long as they have the wherewithal to stay there they can do so. If they disappoint society by doing something to cause their fall society simply walks over their carcasses and goes on, but does not profit by the matter. That is something with which society has nothing to do. Society exists in college as everywhere else. There is the same social climbing in a university as there is on upper Fifth avenue, New York. Considering all this, I couldn't help feeling sorry for John that he must continually take a back seat.

My two admirers graduated within a few days of each other. I attended the commencement exercises at both colleges. The commencement at Sumner's university was held first. He invited me especially, and I was under his care while I was there. He had an appointment to speak at commencement, but did not avail himself of it. I found that he had become one of those who affect to despise learning. This class of students has largely increased of late. They go to college more as girls go to a finishing school, assuming that a university is a small world with all the struggles, triumphs, failures and other features of the world they are about to enter, and it is well to have some training for the larger field before entering it.

"What do men in a law case care about oratory? They want evidence," said Fred to me when I was arguing the case with him. Since I could not refute him I held my tongue.

Having gone to see Fred Sumner graduate, I was obliged to be content with seeing him elected a member of the Creme de la Creme, the tiptop of all the fraternities. He said himself that he would rather have that election than take the valedictory. He stood well in his class, he said, and that was all he cared for. These ideas were new to me, but since I knew nothing about college life I could form no opinion of my own, though I admit it struck me that if social prominence is the desideratum I could not see but that Sumner was right. He had kept in the leading class of students and was altogether desirable. A valedictory or a salutatory would not likely have improved his status.

After a pleasant visit, a delightful evening at a graduating dance at which Fred filled my card with the most promient men of his class, including a multimillionaire, who seemed more desirable than any of the honor men, I left for home. Fred begged me to give him a reply to his suit before parting, and I would have made it then and in the affirmative, but I believed he would appreciate it more from having to wait for it. So, in order to let him feel that he had a rival, I said that I would defer my answer till after the commencement at Q—— college. This had the effect I desired, I'm sure.

The exercises at our home college, comprising not more than 400 students, was very different from the one I had just attended. I went to see John's mother as soon as I reached home, and she told me that her son had insisted upon her coming to the college to hear him speak at commencement. She had so pinched her wardrobe that she was obliged to tell him that she had nothing fit to wear. John had replied that, if she had nothing but a dress of gunny bags, still she must come. She did not wish to go, for her son would surely be ashamed of her attired in an old alpaca she had had for fifteen years and a hat that had been out of fashion for a still longer period. But John had put his foot down, and she dare not refuse.

At the exercises I took a seat directly behind the old lady, being curious to see how she would act while John was speaking. When it came his turn to deliver his oration I was struck with a certain practical simplicity there was about it. His subject was, "Why Do We Go to College?" It seemed to me that there was far more depth to what he said than to what Sumner had said to me on the same subject. The principal point he made was: "We must prepare to do our best in the world by doing our best in college. A college career will not in itself give us success, but it gives us better weapons with which to fight."

When John had finished his oration he did something that won me to him far more forcibly than anything he had said. On receiving his diploma he marched down the center aisle in full view of every one present to where his mother sat in her barbarous costume and laid the sheepskin in her lap. Then, putting his arms around her neck, he kissed her.

Most of those present knew the story the act told—a story of pinch and save, a story of devotion from a mother to a son and its final reward. It was followed by a clapping of hands, through which John walked back to his place looking as though he realized the applause solely due to the heroine, his old mother in her alpaca dress and out of date hat.

I considered that I as well as both my suitors was upon the threshold of the great world, and it behooved me to choose between the two schools they represented. My whole being was suddenly turned to that represented by John Ryerson. At any rate, it filled me with a sudden antipathy to the other. The same evening after my return from the commencement exercises at Q—— college I wrote Fred Sumner an irrevocable refusal.

John Ryerson from that time gradually became more and more to me. I finally married him, and it seems to me that while I got nothing showy I did get all that is really best in a man. Nor is it the showy attributes that count in the long run. My husband has been able to give me and our children all the comforts we need, and whenever he is spoken of by his fellow citizens it is, "There's a man to the to."

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W. D. BRADSHAW RE-APPOINTED COUNTY ROAD-SUPERINTENDENT

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGAIN ADJUST THE TOLL RATES OVER ORMOND BRIDGE AND GRANT COMPANY LICENSE.

At the regular meeting of the board of county commissioners held at DeLand Monday evening, W. D. Bradshaw, of Daytona, was re-appointed road superintendent for a period of two years, dating from the first day of July. Mr. Bradshaw is to receive a salary of $200 per month, he to furnish is own automobile and pay its running expenses. Commissioners Fisher, Maley and Harden voted for the appointment of Mr. Bradshaw and Commissioners Murray and Cade against him.

Jerome D. Maley, the new commissioner from the Fourth district, presented his commission from Governor Trammell and took part in the business of the meeting. Mr. Maley was appointed as a member of the finance committee and poor house committee, the same positions held by former commissioner William Jackson, whom he succeeded.

Road Commissioner Bradshaw submitted his report as follows:

"I beg leave to report to you as follows:

"District No. 1.—Repairs to bridges on Osteen-Sanford road, also progress shelling on same through Holden Prairie, 1060 yards of shell spread on Orange City-Beck's Ferry road.

"District No 2.—Completion of bridges and grades on DeLand-New Smyrna road, with the exception of right of way and grading from the west end of old grade to junction of DeLand-Lake Helen road with pine straw. Rebuilding of bridges on DeLand-Daytona road from middle stockade to the east district line.

"District No. 4.—Ditches completed on DeLand-Daytona road from Tomoka to Rimer ridge; all bridges rebuilt on same from Tiger Bay to Daytona with the exception of three; about nine miles of surface repairing on same; have stopped hauling on road and am hauling about 100 yards of marl a day from pit to high land where it will be available in rainy season; have had some repairs made on shell road on John Anderson highway between Mount Zion and Smith creek bridge.

"District No. 5.—Have inspected bridge over Spruce creek on Port Orange and Indian Springs road and find same in bad condition; advise that same be repaired or abandoned, as it is in a dangerous condition; have inspected bridges over Spruce creek and Rose Bay on Daytona-New Smyrna road and find same in very bad condition, as I have reported before, and recommend that same have immediate attention; report progress on right of way and grade on New Smyrna-DeLand road, think same can be completed to New Smyrna-Indian Springs road in about 45 days."

Another import piece of business transacted by the commissioners was the granting of a license to operate a toll bridge across the Halifax river at Ormond to the Florida East Coast Railway company and fixing the rates of toll to be charged. At the June meeting the rates of toll were ordered reduced so as to be the same as the rates of the Daytona bridges, but the railroad company asked for another hearing, and after conferring with a number of the leading citizens of Ormond a number of concessions favorable to the company were made. The resolution covering the matter which was adopted by the board is as follows:

"Whereas, the Florida East Coast Railway, owners of the bridge across the Halifax river at Ormond, has made application for a license to maintain and operate a toll and railroad bridge across the Halifax river at Ormond, Florida, and has given notice of said application as required by law;

"Therefore, Be it resolved that said application be and the same is hereby granted, and that said Florida East Coast Railway is hereby authorized to maintain and operate a toll and railroad bridge at the above designated point for the period of ten years from this date; they to give bond conditioned as required by law, in the sum of $500.00, the same to be approved by the clerk.

"That said bridge shall be opened and in operation for traffic on each day during the said period from daylight until dark; and that the following rates of toll may be charged, to-wit:

"Section 1. A class of detachable coupon tickets to be issued in strips containing ten coupons, selling at twenty-five cents per strip and in books containing forty coupons and selling at one dollar per book; the coupons in said book to be received whether detached from the book or otherwise.

"Section 2. Books of coupons containing forty coupons each and to be sold at the following rates: 5 books of 40 coupons each, 200 coupons at 2c each, $4.00; 10 books of 40 coupons each, 400 coupons at 1⅝c each, $6.00; 15 books of 40 coupons each, 600 coupons at 1½c each, $9.00; 25 books of 40 coupons each, 1,000 coupons at 1c each, $10.00. These books to bear names of family, firms and employees and limited to one year from date of sale, and coupons to be honored only when accompanied by the book.

"Section 3. A special or school-coupon ticket containing two tickets for each school day in the month and selling at fifty cents per month. The following rates will apply in connection with the first two classes of tickets above named: Pedestrians, each, either direction, 1 coupon or 5c; one horse and rider, either direction, 3 coupons or 10c; one horse vehicle and driver, either direction, 4 coupons or 15c; two horse vehicle and driver, either direction, 5 coupons or 20c; each additional horse or person, either direction, 1 coupon or 5c; each passenger in street car, 1 coupon or 5c; automobile and one person, either direction, 5 coupons or 20c; each additional person, 1 coupon or 5c; bicycles, wheel chairs and baby carriages free, except that 5c or 1 coupon shall be collected for each passenger. All other vehicles, propelled by hand or other power, 5c each way, or 2 coupons, in addition to regular charge for passenger.

"It is ordered that the coupon books as described in Section 2 of above schedule of tolls shall be sold from May 15 to Oct. 15, of each year, and are not to be transferrable.

"It is further ordered that all coupon books shall be on sale at the toll house of said bridge company."

Otto R. Kirchoff, of DeLeon Springs, was appointed county enumerator of agricultural statistics for 1913 and 1914.

The tax books for the year 1913 were examined and valuations as fixed by Assessor S. B. Wilson were accepted, and the millage fixed as follows: General revenue, 3 mills; general school, 7 mills; special road, 6 mills; fine and forfeiture, 1 mill. A special sub-district school tax of 3 mills was ordered in districts 2, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 23, 27, 30, 32, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 49 and 52.

One Greater Than Niagara

Ages ago, scientists claim, before the melting of the Okanogan glacier in the state of Washington, the Columbia river made Niagara insignificant by comparison. It plunged from the upper to the lower valley in the Grand Coulee, a sheer fall of 400 feet.

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MRS. H. A. BERNARD, Correspondent

SEABREEZE, July 11.—The regular monthly meeting of the council Monday night, not having a quorum present, was postponed until Wednesday night.

School Building Contract Let—

On recommendation of the local school board the contract for a one-story school building for primary grades to be built on the east end of the school property, was awarded Robt. K. Crawford by the county school board. H. A. Horn and Wesly Herrick and Professor D. D. Davis attended the school board meeting in DeLand Monday evening. The plans and specifications submitted by the school trustees were accepted by the county board. The house is to be erected at a cost of $1843. It will front on Peninsula drive, and be 30x54 feet. The work is expected to begin about the 15th of this month.

Miss Temperance Vaughn, of Augusta, Ga., has been elected to assist Miss Brown in the high school work.

Arrived on the Fourth—

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Stuart are rejoicing over the arrival, July 4th, of a ten-pound boy baby. He came right in the stir of things and being quite lusty and young will no doubt center the attention of the family group for some time to come. However, his birthday celebrations will come easy.

Camping Party at DeLeon Springs—

A party of Seabreeze and Daytona Beach young people enjoyed an outing at DeLeon Springs from Thursday until Monday this week. The trip was made in motor cars, the party including Messrs. Robt. Mims, Jones Moore, George Horn and Arthur Moore, Misses Margurite Freeman, Claire and Jessie Tomlinson, Charlie Freeman, all of Seabreeze and Daytona Beach. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. John Allen. They were later joined by Mr. Robertson, of New Smyrna. There was a breakdown of the Mims' car, and an extra car was called in commission, and other minor mishaps which but accentuated the otherwise jolly times enjoyed.

News Notes—

Miss Julia Stewart, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. L. Kochersperger more or less for the month past, went up to Jacksonville on the excursion Thursday to join her mother and family who are now making that busy metropolis their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shacklett, of DeLand, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs N E Bates on Atlantic avenue

Dr. Morrissey is having the old Beekman house and cottage torn down and will have the lot cleared and put in good shape

Miss Johnson has this week been having boxed and shipped to Indio, Cal., household goods stored at her house by Mrs. E. E. Dayton and family when they moved north several years ago. They are now making California their home.

Miss Margaret Willard, one of Palatka's charming young ladies, is visiting Miss Marie Merryday at her home, Bonnie Doon, on the beach.

Mrs. Merryday and son, Harlow, have returned from Palatka, where they visited friends and took in the Fourth of July celebration.

W T. Ledbetter, owner and manager of the Putnam house, Palatka, enjoys the distinction of being the first guest of the Neptune hotel, which opened this week under the management of Mr. and Mrs Leon Despland. Mrs. Despland has had many of her beautiful plants brought over from Daytona, and the hotel is being artistically decorated by choice setting of same.

R. D. Taylor entertained his father-in-law, T. M. Lett, of Miami, from Tuesday until Saturday of last week Mr. Lett made the trip from Miami on his motorcycle, en route to Jacksonville.

The motorcycle racing crowd, including Clarence Lauther and John Harper, the latter of whom won the first and second races at the racing carnival on the Fourth, spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. Taylor There were a bunch of others with Messrs. Lauther and Harper, who are old friends of Mr. Taylor, and he was put to to accommodate all, but after they left the house seemed quite lonesome

Mrs. George W. Buckner leaves Friday on her annual visit to her son and relatives in Indianapolis, Ind Her son, Walter G. Biggers, who is traveling auditor of the Big Four, will meet her in Cincinnati, O., and go on to Indianapolis with her. Mrs Buckner expects to be away for a couple of months.

Mrs. Robert Stringfellow, of Pineland, who stopped here last week en route to California to visit her daughter, Mrs. Cox, for a week, leaves today for Los Angeles to visit another daughter.

Mrs. H. G. Whittset entertained a porch party at the Whittset cottage Monday afternoon

Mr. Wilmington is having his beach lot north of the Neptune graded preparatory to erecting a two-story residance.

A new wooden retaining wall and new street steps have improved the appearance of Mrs. H. S. Morrison's residence on the corner of Oakridge boulevard and North Peninsula drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Baggett finally moved to Kingston last Wednesday. Their cottage has been leased by Miss Halliday and her father of Orange City. Miss Halliday, who has formerly taught in the Seabreeze school, will again this winter hold a position as teacher in the school.

Mrs. Nick Hufford, of Columbus, O., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lund, arrived Thursday on her long-expected visit with her parents.

Dr. Morrisey is having a couple of lots on Palmetto avenue, between Butler and Ocean boulevard underbrushed and grubbed.

A two-foot cement block wall has just been completed around Mrs. M. J. Murphy's three lots, including her residential property on Ocean boulevard. She has also had cement sidewalk laid along her property on Grandview avenue. The work is neat and workmanlike, and quite an improvement to the street as well as the property.

The friends of Mrs. Daisy Dryer will be gratified to learn of the excellent reports of Allston Dryer, her son, coming from the Manual Training school of Chicago, Ill., which he has been attending for the year past. Allston will graduate from this school August 19, having covered a grade and one-half in a year's time. From this school he expects to enter the Armour Tech. for a four years' course, which he hopes to finish in half that time. Allston is 16 years old, and a very recent picture sent to his mother, shows wonderful development in his figure and countenance.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Johnson have moved into their beach residence on Oakridge boulevard for the summer.

Mrs. J. M. Murphy and children, Hazel and Cecil, left Monday afternoon on their return to Orange Mills after a week spent at their Ideal cottage, on Ocean boulevard.

J. R. Wilcox and J. A. and Leo Burgman returned last week from their trip to Miami. Hearing discouraging reports of the heat and mosquitoes they decided not to continue their cruise to the west coast.

Alderman H. G. Wilson went over to DeLand Monday night to meet with the county commissioners in adjustment of Seabreeze taxes. He returned home Tuesday afternoon.

NEW SURVEY OF CYPRESS SWAMP LAND BEING MADE.

MIAMI, July 9.—Believing that the great cypress swamp of between a million and a half and two million acres in extent, which lies west of the Everglades, is an inseparable part of the drainage district of the Florida peninsula and that that great forest may prove to be a territory equally as valuable as the Everglades, the state drainage commission is taking steps to make a thorough survey of it, and a surveying party of fourteen men is now nearing the west coast, having penetrated the heart of the great swamp.

Although some of the oldest settlements in the United States are located in Florida, there are still some parts of this state that are yet unexplored, and the cypress swamp is one of these. It is said that no complete report, or a report that in any way tended to be comprehensive, has ever been made of this territory. Hunters have brought back the report that the cypress timber of that section is as fine as can be found any where in the world. The wealth which the opening up of such a large forest of valuable timber would bring to the state is believed to be great, and acting on this belief the commission is bending every effort to obtain complete data upon it, and will include its findings in its general report upon the drainage district of Florida.

Enormous difficulties were presented to the surveyors as they planned for this undertaking. Nearly one hundred miles were to be traversed, much of the distance through a forest and swamp, covered with water in most places from two to five feet in depth. Only meagre details as to how the party has fared in its arduous journey have been learned by the Miami office, but it is believed that the engineers are now near the west coast.

Up until the present the attention of the state has been turned to drainage of the Everglades proper, and with the exception of the connection of the Caloosahatchee river with Lake Okeechobee by a canal in the extreme northern part of the territory to which the drainage commission is now turning its attention, no work has been done or plans laid for the reclamation of the swamp. When the Everglades drainage commission was formed, however, composed of some of the best engineers in the country, it was quickly apprehended by them that the conditions of the territory west of the Everglades would have to be determined before any complete report could be made on the Everglades themselves. The per cent of the rainfall on the Everglades which runs off across this swamp must be accurately determined, according to these engineers, as well as the run-off in other directions, and the effect that a heavy rainfall on the swamp would have upon the Everglades, should they be drained, must needs be known.

Help Others.

Have you sorrows or trials that seem very heavy to bear? Then let me tell you that one of the best ways in the world to lighten and sweeten them is to lose yourself in the service of others, in helping to bear and lighten those of a fellow-being whose, perchance, are much more grievous than your own. . . . When turned in this way, sorrow is the most beautiful soul-refiner of which the world knows, and hence not to be shunned, but, to be welcomed and rightly turned.—R. W. Trine.

Combination of Languages.

The Hebrews who live in Germany speak the German language, using among themselves a peculiar dialect called "Yiddish," that term being itself a corrupt form of the German word Judisch. Russian Hebrews also use this language, while by a curious chain of historic events Turkish Hebrews speak Spanish. Printed Yiddish shows an interesting combination of languages, the words being essentially German, but printed in Hebrew characters.—Christian Herald.

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Trousers, 3.00 grade	2.15	Trousers, 5.00 grade	3.60
Trousers, 3.50 grade	2.35	Trousers, 6.00 grade	3.95
Trousers, 4.00 grade	2.80	Trousers, 6.50 grade	4.25

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Boys' Suits, $4.50 to 5.00, shoveled out for	$3.45
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Boys' Suits, 7.50 to 8.50, shoveled out for	5.65
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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs P W DeHoff and children of Jacksonville arrived Tuesday and are visiting Mrs E M Litt'e

Attorney Murray Sams of DeLand spent the Fourth here visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs F. S. Sams.

H S Walker and L H Barber made a business trip to DeLand Saturday in Mr Walker's car

Conductor O H Pellett of the Dupont Land & Railway company spent Sunday here with his family on Canal street

Mrs Cecil Raper expects to leave some time this week for a several months visit with relatives in Philadelphia

W W Vincent, who recently resigned his position with the F E C railroad, will probably leave August 1 for Waycross Ga where he will accept a position

*Special Bargains every day during Great Shoveling Out Sale
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Taylor Langford is filling the position of Norman Berry in the Fidelity bank while Mr Berry is away on his vacation

Mrs R J Skipper left yesterday for Jacksonville, where she will visit friends Mrs Skipper will probably remain several weeks before returning.

J E Alexander and wife of DeLand have taken the Myers cottage at Coronado and will spend the month of July enjoying a rest in the cooling ocean breezes

Mrs. Henry Woodward of Miami has been visiting relatives in New Smyrna during the past week. Mrs Woodward has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Solano, in St. Augustine and stopped off here on her way back to her home in Miami.

*Great Shoveling Out Sale.
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Mrs. L. E. McCorkle has been quite sick for several days of this week

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs M A Galbreath early last Friday morning

Norman Berry left Monday for Saluda, N C, where he will spend some time visiting

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Miss Blanche Moody expects to leave Tuesday for Lakeland, where she will visit friends and relatives

James Stewart, well known as the popular piano player in the Palace theatre, spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting in St Augustine

Quite a few of the young men of New Smyrna went up to Daytona the Fourth and witnessed the base ball game there between Daytona and DeLand

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Mr and Mrs A E Dumble left Monday for points in Canada where they will visit relatives of Mr Dumble They expect to be gone the entire summer.

Miss Alice Pellett will leave Tuesday for St Augustine at which place she will attend school at St. Joseph's academy

Benj. Pacetti spent Sunday in the city and returned to New Smyrna this morning He reports being quite busy in his new home—St Augustine Record

Mr and Mrs F E Lovejoy will leave Monday for their summer home in Kenebunk, Maine Mr and Mrs Lovejoy have remained in New Smyrna longer this year that usual.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Amidon. This society has decided to meet but twice a month during the remainder of the summer.

J. H. Hibbard and daughter Whitney spent several days of this week visiting in DeLand.

*The Great Shoveling Out Sale begins tomorrow.

Sidney Treadwell of St Augustine spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Treadwell.

Mrs Jenkins and daughter of Miami who have been visiting Mrs A. M. Yarborough for some time returned home Saturday.

*For Sale—One 22 foot launch, 5 horse power Oreole engine. Dan P. Smith, Jr 4-3t

Geo B Day who has been visiting friends here for several weeks left Wednesday for Fort Myers Mr. Day will preach there

Miss Viola Purdom of Bogratone, Fla, arrived this week and is visiting J L Ditson and family Miss Purdom is Mrs Ditson's niece

P. L Paul, wife and daughter Mabel, who have been visiting relatives in Jacksonville for several weeks, returned home Monday

**FOR RENT—Good office or small store room in New Smyrna News building. Enquire at News office.

Dr. L. L Copeland of Jacksonville, who, with his wife, has been visiting his father-in-law, G. W. Brown, at Coronado Beach, returned home Tuesday

W I. Berry, wife and two children of Apopka, Fla., are spending the month of July on the beach in the Smith cottage. Mr. Berry is a brother of J. R Berry well known in New Smyrna.

Ray S Vance, Associated Press operator for the Tampa Tribune, is in the city for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs Harry L. Rood Mr. Vance is enjoying his annual vacation from his newspaper work and has just returned from an extended trip through the north and west Mr. Vance and the editor of the News were formerly associated in newspaper work in Wisconsin.

Mrs. W. A. Fischer who has been visiting relatives for some time in Dawson, Ga., arrived home Saturday.

Miss Bessie Johnson of Arcadia who has been visiting her sister, Mrs W. C. Cole, returned to her home Saturday.

Miss Anna Mabbette left this week for Jacksonville, where she will spend several days visiting friends

O. F. Brown who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown during their stay at Coronado Beach returned to Lakeland yesterday

*If you are looking for bargains step in to the Great Shoveling Out Sale

W P Spiers, a well known business man and real estate owner of Jadksonville, was in the city Friday and Saturday looking over the business prospects of New Smyrna

Mrs C A Roach, baby and daughters expect to leave Thursday for Blackfoot, Idaho, where they will visit Yellowstone National park and other points of interest in the west They expect to remain the entire summer, returning about the first of October.

Next Tuesday evening Mrs George L Day will give an illustrated lecture on the people, the customs and the lands of Palestine, where she spent many years laboring as a missionary She will be assisted by 15 young women and gentlemen dressed in Oriental costumes The lecture will be given in the Trinity hall of the Trinity M E church

Women Entertained by Men—

The water melon social given Tuesday night in the church parlors of the Trinity M E church by the men in honor of the women was largely attended and proved a complete success

Mr. Day gave a reading which was received with delight by his audience and he was encored several times

The feature of the evening was the number given by the quartette, "The Quartette Sang in the Silent Mute." The quartette consisted of H. S. Walker, V. D Cape, M. A. Brunson and C. O. Williams.

George Hood Sent to the Asylum—

An examining board consisting of Dr. George E. Davis, Dr. John [illegible] and Z. T. Bielby appeared before Judge McCrory upon petition signed by a number of business men of DeLand and declared George Hood to be insane An attache of the insane asylum arrived from Chattahoochee the first of the week and took George to the "hospital" George has been around DeLand several years. He was afflicted with epilepsy. He was most willing to work when able, but had a violent and ungovernable temper, and will be much better off where he can have kind treatment and three good meals a day —DeLand News.

MILITIA ENROUTE TO STATE ENCAMPMENT

Company I, Second Infantry National Guard of Florida, from Key West, in command of Capt. Bernard J. Waite, passed through New Smyrna Saturday enroute to Black Point to join the regiment for the annual encampment held there this week The company was accompanied by Major Samuel J. Wolfe of Key West the commanding officer of the Second batallion, Second infantry, together with his official staff. Company I is one of the best companies of the state militia, having for several years won the state pennant for general efficiency.

The two Miami companies and band also passed through New Smyrna Sunday enroute to Black Point.

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